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July 16, 2010

The Honorable Mitchell G. Davenport
Jack County Judge
Jack County Courthouse
100 Main Street
Jacksboro, Texas 76458

Dear Judge Davenport:

Texas Workforce Commission (Commission) records indicate we have not received the paperwork for three private sector vacancies that continue to exist on the North Texas Local Workforce Development Board (Board). Because the vacancies were not filled within the required 90 days, the Board remains in noncompliance with Texas Government Code §2308.256 (Texas Workforce and Economic Competitiveness Act) and Commission rule §801.12. Therefore, any actions taken by the Board after April 30, 2010, are void and must be reconfirmed by a properly constituted Board.

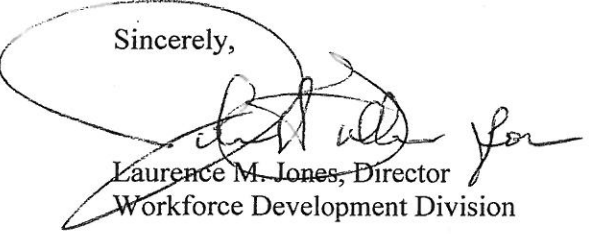
Commission rule §801.12 states:

If the Chief Elected Officials (CEOs) fail to fill a vacancy in a required category within 90 calendar days of the effective date of the vacancy, and remain in noncompliance with this section beyond that time, the Commission may impose sanctions under Chapter 800, including the withholding of administrative funds from the Board until compliance is achieved.

If the required documentation for these three appointments is not received within 30 calendar days of receipt of this letter, we will review this matter for possible sanction.

If we can assist you in meeting this requirement, please call me at (512) 936-0697 or Sandra M. Garcia at (512) 936-0467.

Sincerely,


Laurence M. Jones, Director
Workforce Development Division

cc: ✓ Chief Elected Officials, North Texas Local Workforce Development Area
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