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October 8, 2003

The Honorable Joe Manchin III
Secretary of State
State Capitol Complex
Building 1, Room W-157
Charleston, West Virginia 25305

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Re: Withdrawal of Proposed Revisions to Rule
Title 96, Series 1
"Rule Implementing the Requirement That
Prohibits Agencies From Granting, Issuing or Renewing
Contracts, Licenses, Permits, Certificates or Other
Authority to Conduct a Trade, Profession or Business To or
With an Employing Unit Who is in Default With Regards
to Unemployment Compensation or Workers'
Compensation."

Dear Secretary Manchin:

Please consider this letter to be the written authorization of Quetta Muzzle,
Commissioner of the Bureau of Employment Programs, and Gregory A. Burton,
Executive Director of the Workers' Compensation Commission, to withdraw the above-
noted proposed revisions to the rule filed for public comment on September 30, 2003.

Thank you very much for your assistance in this matter.

Very truly yours,

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Supervising Attorney
Internal Operations

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