



GOVERNOR GREG ABBOTT

March 24, 2020

The Honorable Eugene Scalia
Secretary of Labor
U.S. Department of Labor
Frances Perkins Building
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20210

Attention: Gay Gilbert, Administrator
Office of Unemployment Insurance (OUI)

Dear Secretary Scalia:

Please find enclosed a certified document delegating to the Deputy Executive Director or the Chief Financial Officer of the Texas Workforce Commission my authority to formally request Title XII advances for the payment of unemployment compensation in accordance with Section 1201(a)(1) of the Social Security Act, as well as my authority to request transfer of funds from the State of Texas account in the Unemployment Trust Fund to repay part or all of such advances in accordance with Section 1202(a) of the Social Security Act.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Greg Abbott".

Greg Abbott
Governor

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Enclosure



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CERTIFICATION

I, Greg Abbott, Governor of the State of Texas, hereby delegate to Randy Townsend, Deputy Executive Director, or Chris Nelson, Chief Financial Officer of the Texas Workforce Commission, my authority to formally request Title XII advances for the payment of unemployment compensation in accordance with Section 1201(a)(1) of the Social Security Act and to request transfer of funds from the State of Texas account in the Unemployment Trust Fund to repay part or all of such advances in accordance with Section 1202(a) of the Social Security Act.

If it becomes necessary, I also delegate to Mr. Townsend or Mr. Nelson my authority set forth in Section 203.102(b) of the Texas Labor Code to use money in the Obligation Trust Fund to pay interest incurred on advances from the Federal Trust Fund.

In accordance with Department of Labor regulations, Mr. Townsend's and Mr. Nelson's signatures appear below.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Randy Townsend".

Randy Townsend
Deputy Executive Director
Texas Workforce Commission
Randy.townsend@twc.state.tx.us
512-463-2698

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Chris Nelson".

Chris Nelson
Chief Financial Officer
Texas Workforce Commission
Chris.nelson@twc.state.tx.us
512-463-1829

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Greg Abbott".

Greg Abbott
Governor
State of Texas