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> Re: Project 28691 – Annual Progress Report on Five-Year Plan to Enhance Supplier and Workforce Diversity for Cumby Telephone Cooperative, Inc.

Dear Ms. Hightower:

Pursuant to §26.85(e), enclosed for filing are two (2) copies of the Annual Progress Report on the implementation of the Five-Year Plan to Enhance Supplier and Workforce Diversity that are being filed **confidential and exempt from disclosure** pursuant to Sections 552.101, 552.104, and/or 552.110 of the Texas Open Records Act due to the sensitive and confidential nature of the documents. This filing is being made in Project 28691 as the project designated for this report.

Consistent with the requirements of the approved rule, confidential copies of this report are also being provided to: (1) the Governor; (2) Lieutenant Governor; (3) Speaker of the House; (4) Chair-Texas Senate Hispanic Caucus; (5)&(6) Co-Chairs-Texas Senate Black Caucus; (7) Chair-House Mexican-American Caucus; and, (8) Chair-House Black Caucus.

If you have any questions concerning this report, please contact me at (903) 758-0734.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

cc w/attachment The Honorable Rick Perry The Honorable Bill Ratliff The Honorable Pete Laney The Honorable Leticia Van de Putte The Honorable Rodney Ellis The Honorable Royce West The Honorable Pete Gallego The Honorable Joe Deshotel

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