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RE: Telstra Incorporated Request for Waiver - Workplace Diversity Report

Dear Sir/Madam

Telstra Incorporated is hereby requesting a waiver of the requirement for filing the Workplace Diversity Report (Project No. 30240) due on December 30, 2006 for the previous four quarters ending on September 30, 2006. The reason for our requesting a waiver is that we have less than fifteen (15) employees in the State of Texas.

Based upon my conversations with Janis Ervin, I understand that the practice of the PUC of Texas is to only notify an applicant if a waiver is denied. Accordingly, unless I hear otherwise, we will proceed on the basis that this waiver has been granted.

Should you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Kind regards