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Lorne J. Malkiewich, Director Legislative Counsel Bureau 401 S. Carson Street Carson City, NV 89701

Dear Director Malkiewich:

This letter is in response to Senator Maggie Carlton's February 12, 2004, letter. We appreciate her bringing to our attention the statutory requirement for the Health Division to file quarterly reports with the Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB) containing information regarding NRS 622.100 and NRS 622.110.

The provisions of NRS 622.100 and NRS 622.110 would apply to the Medical Laboratory section of the Bureau of Licensure and Certification within the Health Division. The Medical Laboratory Services section of the Bureau of Licensure and Certification licenses laboratory directors and certifies technical personnel who work in laboratories. There have been no disciplinary actions taken against a director's license or a technical personnel certificate for the third or fourth quarter of 2003.

In addition, the Health Division has taken action to ensure timely submission of quarterly and annual reports in the future. If you should have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 684-4200.

Sincerely,

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Administrator

Cc: Senator Randolph J. Townsend, Chairman Legislative Commission, and Senate Committée on Commerce & Labor Assemblyman David E. Goldwater, Chairman, Assembly Committee on Commerce and Labor

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