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RE: Annual Report of the Utah Motor Vehicle Franchise Advisory Board

Dear Mr. Wade,

On behalf of the Utah Motor Vehicle Franchise Advisory Board ("Board"), I am submitting the following annual report pursuant to Utah Code Ann. § 13-14-310.

Subsection 13-14-310(1) requires the Board to provide the number of applications for a new or relocated motor vehicle dealership that the Board received during the 12 months before the date of this report. While the Board and the Department of Commerce staff do not receive "applications," pursuant to Section 13-14-302, we do from time to time receive notices from franchisors that they intend to relocate an existing franchise dealership or to establish a new franchise dealership.

During the last 12 months, our office has received no notices from franchisors indicating their intent to establish a new dealership or to relocate an existing dealership, nor have we had any protests dealing with the establishment of a new dealership or the relocation of an existing dealership. The protests we received during the past 12 months related to the termination of trailer dealerships and a dispute regarding a dealership's name.

Sincerely,

Masuda Medcalf
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cc: Francine A. Giani, Executive Director