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The Honorable Charles J. Colgan Chairman, Senate Finance Committee Senate of Virginia P.O. Box 396 Richmond, VA 23218 The Honorable Harry R. Purkey Chairman, House Finance Committee General Assembly Building P.O. Box 406 Richmond, VA 23218

Gentlemen:

Chapter 780 of the 2006 Acts of Assembly, 8th enactment clause requires the Auditor of Public Accounts collect data to determine changes in demographics that affect the Communication Sales and Use Tax distribution. Based on our survey there are no changes.

We have reviewed this information and considering the changes resulting from Chapter 780 of the 2006 Acts of Assembly, we do not believe this enactment clause serves any purpose nor do we believe that over time we will encounter any significant changes. Therefore, we would recommend that you consider repealing this clause.

Please contact me if you need any additional information.

Sincerely,

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