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The Honorable R. Lee Ware Chairman House Finance Committee House of Delegates P.O. Box 689 Powhatan, Virginia 23139 The Honorable Charles J. Colgan Co-Chairman Senate Finance Committee Senate of Virginia 10677 Aviation Lane Manassas, Virginia 20110

The Honorable S. Chris Jones Chairman House Appropriations Committee House of Delegates P.O. Box 5059 Suffolk, Virginia 23435

Dear Messrs. Chairmen:

I am writing to report on the grants that have been awarded during the second quarter of the 2015 calendar year as required by § 2.2-5103(D) of the <u>Code of Virginia</u>.

For the second quarter, ending June 30, 2015, two Virginia Investment Partnership grants were awarded. In the Major Eligible Employer category (over \$100 million in capital investment and at least 1,000 new employees or corporate headquarters and other basic employers that make a capital investment of at least \$100 million and create at least 400 jobs paying at least twice the prevailing average wage for the area), there were no grants awarded.

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Virginia Investment Partnership:

- 1. Not Yet Announced.
- Continental Automotive Systems, Inc., located in Culpeper County, manufactures automotive products. Awarded a \$550,000 grant, the company will be making a \$49,004,750 investment and creating 25 new jobs by July 31, 2018. This project has been announced.

Major Eligible Employer:

No Major Eligible Employer grants were awarded.

For the second quarter of the 2015 calendar year, Virginia Investment Partnership grant disbursements from the Fund were made to Kraft Foods, Micron, Swedwood Danville, and Interbake Foods. No Major Eligible Employer grant disbursements from the Fund were made.

Sincerely, Maurice A. Jonas

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cc: Mr. Martin J. Briley President and Chief Executive Officer Virginia Economic Development Partnership