

August 31, 2001

Lt. Governor Amy Tuck  
New Capitol Building  
Jackson, MS 39201

Dear Governor Tuck:

Please find enclosed a check covering the hours you served as acting Governor from January 2001 through June 2001. As you know, the acting Governor receives the difference between their salary and the Governor's. Below is the formula used to calculate an hourly rate for acting Governor:

$24 \text{ hours/day} \times 365 \text{ days/year} = 8760 \text{ hours/year}$

Governor's salary	=	\$101,800
Lt. Governor's salary	=	<u>\$ 60,000</u>
Difference	=	\$ 41,800

Pay rate for Lt. Governor serving as Governor  
 $\$41,800/8760 \text{ hours} = \$4.77/\text{hour}$

The records show that you served as Acting Governor for a total of 535.25 hours during January – June 2001. We calculated your gross salary amount as follows:

$535.25 \text{ hours} \times \$4.77/\text{hour} = \$2,553.14$

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at 359-3161.

Sincerely,

Felicia Gavin  
Director of Administration