Appendix F

Ohio's Response to Draft Report

In addition to the letter shown on the following page, ODJFS officials provided their response to each finding as part of a copy of the entire report narrative. Therefore, we have not provided the state's response as an attachment. We have included their responses within each finding in the report.

The grantee also provided a copy of Exhibit B, with its response to each issue. We've included that narrative in our revised Exhibit B.

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February 20, 2004

Mr. Charles Allberry
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U.S. Department of Labor
Office of Inspector General
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RE: Ohio's Workforce Investment Program
Audit Period: July 1, 2000 through June 30, 2002
Draft Audit Report, dated February 4, 2004

Dear Mr. Allberry:

This is a response submitted as requested to the draft audit report, dated February 4, 2004, from the on-site review of Ohio's Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Title I Programs conducted by your office.

This draft report contained six findings which were in need of a response from the State. Enclosed is a copy of each of the findings, your recommendations and our responses.

If you have any questions regarding this response, please contact Joan Beery, Grants Manager/Grants and Audits, at 614.387.7318 or beeryj@odjfs.state.oh.us or Steve Clayborn, Section Chief/Grants and Audits, at 614.644.8826 or claybs@odjfs.state.oh.us.

Sincerely,

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Attachment

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