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The Honorable Jim Gibbons
Governor, State of Nevada
101 North Carson Street
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Dear Governor Gibbons:

I am disappointed by the tone of your recent letter dated March 25, 2010. You imply that my office has lacked diligence in the handling of your request to "commence an action in federal court" on the recently passed Health Care Legislation.

It appears from your letter that the Health Care Reform Legislation has been the main focus for your office since last December. Well, that has not been mine. Before I discuss the current status of our work on the healthcare issue, I would like to share with you some of the other cases that have kept my office busy.

During this month, in addition to our obligations to our other clients, this office has instituted litigation on your behalf in the Nevada Supreme Court against a challenge for \$62 million which was included in the State budget during the recent Special Session of the Legislature; has defended you in the Nevada Supreme Court for your use of a State-owned computer for personal and other emails; has defended you in federal court on allegations you violated an employee's civil rights; and has stood by you, because the status of the law protected you, for your decision to close meetings involving education in our state.

Now, with respect to the Maglev project, my client in that matter is NDOT. Last week the attorneys in my office provided its Director, Susan Martinovich, with our legal strategy for moving forward. It is my understanding she relayed the legal strategy to your office last Friday, March 19, 2010. You might want to talk with your staff. As to the Earthworks matter, you state in your letter that your office is waiting for a decision on