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August 12, 2003

Tom Hayes, Director of the Ohio
Department of Job and Family Services
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Columbus, Ohio 43215-3414

Dear Mr. Tom Hayes,

I would like to bring your attention to one of your associates, Cindy Gerhand. My name is Gary Jordan President of U.A.W. Local 647 (United Aerospace Workers) at General Electric in Evendale, Ohio. I have had the opportunity to work with Cindy Gerhand on issues concerning the temporary extended unemployment compensation (TUEC) benefits that President Bush signed into legislation on April 16th, 2003. Securing the necessary information from General Electric took quite some time to find out all the details that your office needed to make a determination on who is eligible for the benefits.

Cindy Gerhand worked hard and had a lot of patience in working with General Electric in securing this information.

After receiving this information, I believe Cindy has worked hard in extending benefits to our displaced workers who are entitled to the TEUC benefits. She went the extra mile and showed compassion to our members which means a lot to those who were counting on her when they needed it the most.

U.A.W. Local 647 would like you to know that we appreciate Cindy Gerhand's efforts in helping our laid-off members and "GOING THE EXTRA MILE".

Thank you,

Gary Jordan
Gary Jordan, President
U.A.W. Local 647

*Cindy - Great job!
Thank you!
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