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In accordance with 34 TAC § 20.284(e) and Texas Government Code Section 2161.066, The Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB) is submitting its supplemental letter to highlight required Fiscal Year (FY) 2025 Semi-Annual Historically Underutilized Businesses (HUB) outreach efforts.

THECB's compliance outreach efforts for Semi-Annual FY 25 included:

- Exhibitor: Texas Department of Licensing and Regulation, October 2024
- Exhibitor: Texas CPA HUB Expo, November 2024
- Co-Host: Texas Department of Motor Vehicles Annual Marketing for Success HUB Fair, April 2025

THECBs outreach and other activities, as required by TGC § 2161:

- Reviewed HUB Subcontracting opportunities with an estimated value of \$100,000 and more.
- Established strategic partnerships with THECB Division management to provide overview of the HUB program.
- Helped vendors navigate the HUB process and how to do business with the state.
- Participated in HUB Discussion Workgroup meetings to enhance subject matter expertise and stay informed of HUB rule updates.

THECB recognizes the importance of maintaining compliance with the Historically Underutilized Business program and will continue its efforts to utilize the goods and services offered by the HUB community when those goods and services offer the best value to the state of Texas

For questions, please contact Linda Natal, Director Procurement/HUB Coordinator at Linda.Natal@highered.texas.gov.

Sincerely,

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