

RE: Follow-Up

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See comments to your statements below.

Best regards,

Tom

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-----Original Message-----
From: <mailto:M-Koissi-Kouassi@wiu.edu>
Sent: Tuesday, September 14, 2010 11:39 PM
To: tja@dunnlaw.com
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Mr. Arkell,

In reaction to our telephonic conversation this afternoon (Tues Sept 14) I am writing to make sure that I understood correctly the points you stated:

- My application was filled long time ago *Yes*
- The application was then selected for audit by the US department of Labor. *Yes*
- In their response, the department of labor stated that the appropriate person at WIU did not sign my recruitment summary. *Yes* (Question: Are you saying at this step that US department of Labor denied my application?*Yes*)
- You are notifying me that there is two options available: (1) Appeal the US department of labor decision. This may take time. (2) WIU has agree to re-advertise the position I have applied for in 2007. If I re-apply to this adds, a new perm application will then be filled. *I spoke with the University (since it is the University's application and the University's decision) and the decision was made to conduct a current test of the labor market (readvertise the position). Filing an appeal is not an option at this point.*

Please let me know if I misunderstood any points you expressed.

Best regards

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Doc7. E-mail between my wife and the WIU attorney. The responses of the WIU attorney are between asterisks.