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June 27, 2018

Brian Newby, Executive Director  
U.S. Election Assistance Commission  
1335 East-West Highway, Suite 4300  
Silver Spring, MD 20910

Dear Mr. Newby:

The purpose of this letter is to certify that the State of Indiana will use the funds provided under the Notice of Grant Award, Agreement #IN18101001, for activities consistent with the laws described in Section 906 of HAVA and will not use the funds in a manner that is inconsistent with the requirements of Title III of HAVA.

We further certify that we have reviewed and accept the terms of the award as specified in the Notice of Grant Award. Our UEI number (formerly DUNS) is 360743785 and the signed Certification Regarding Lobbying is enclosed.

We are requesting \$7,595,088 at this time. We will develop the program narrative as follows: Secretary of State Connie Lawson, together with the Indiana Election Division and executive staff, will evaluate options for utilizing requested funds. Gathering input from local election officials and reviewing past requests (such as the 2002 HAVA disbursement), the team will draft a narrative/budget request according to aforementioned requirements, prioritizing the cybersecurity needs of county election offices and the Indiana Statewide Voter Registration System. This narrative will be completed and submitted to the EAC no later than July 16, 2018.

If you have any questions about this request, please contact Deputy Secretary of State Brandon Clifton at 317-234-7152 or [bclifton@sos.in.gov](mailto:bclifton@sos.in.gov).

Sincerely,

*Connie Lawson*  
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Indiana Secretary of State

Cc. Mark Abbott, Director of Payments and Grants