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September 8, 2005

Claudette Segear, Treasurer
Monroe County Administration Building
1 Quaker Plaza, Room 103
Stroudsburg, PA 18360

Re: Ordinance 2004-3 Change

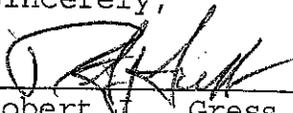
Dear Ms. Segear:

House Bill 157(Act 12) was recently adopted. This Act amends the definition of "permanent resident" in the enabling legislation for the hotel tax which was recently imposed by an ordinance of Monroe County. The prior definition, as contained in the statute before amendment, had a sixty(60) day occupying period after which someone was considered to be a permanent resident.

This legislative amendment has effectively amended the Monroe County Ordinance by changing the definition from sixty (60) to thirty (30) days. Please notify all affected businesses of this change. Attached for your reference is the new legislation with the definitional change highlighted.

If additional information or clarification is needed, please contact me at 570-420-3450.

Sincerely,



Robert J. Gress
Chief of Clerk/Administrator

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