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Via United States Mail and Electronic Mail
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Honorable Martin J. Walsh, Secretary
United States Department of Labor
200 Constitution Ave., NW
Washington, D.C. 20210

RE: Termination of federally funded pandemic unemployment compensation programs in Tennessee

Dear Secretary Walsh:

Pursuant to the termination provisions provided by federal law, including 15 U.S.C. § 9023, 15 U.S.C. § 9024 and 15 U.S.C. § 9025, Tennessee is hereby giving notice, to be effective at 11:59 p.m., July 3, 2021, of its intent to terminate federally funded pandemic unemployment compensation programs including the *Agreement Implementing the Relief for Workers Affected by Coronavirus Act* executed on March 28, 2020. Tennessee also hereby gives notice, to be effective at 11:59 p.m., July 3, 2021, of its intent to terminate *Addendum No. 5 To Agreement Implementing Relief for Workers Affected by Coronavirus, Mixed Earner Unemployment Compensation* agreement relating to mixed earner unemployment compensation executed on January 1, 2021.

By providing this notice, Tennessee expresses its intent to end its participation in all federally funded pandemic unemployment compensation programs, effective 11:59 p.m. on July 3, 2021. Specifically, Tennessee wishes to end its participation in Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA), Federal Pandemic Unemployment Compensation (FPUC), Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC), and Mixed Earner Unemployment Compensation (MEUC).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Bill Lee".

Bill Lee
Governor

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