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Office of Personnel Services and Benefits Employee Benefits Division

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MICHAEL S. STEELE Lieutenant Governor

Jack Cheng Vice President MS Technologies Corporation 18504 Office Park Drive Montgomery Village, MD 20886

Dear Mr. Cheng:

This letter serves to confirm the excellent service provided to the State of Maryland Department of Budget and Management, Office of Personnel Services and Benefits by MS Technologies Corporation since the initiation of our first contract with your organization in October 1998, and has continued with our subsequent contracts.

Your organization has consistently provided the department with outstanding service in the development and maintenance of the Benefits Administration System (BAS) and Interactive Voice Response (IVR) system, which is used for the enrollment of our approximately 260,000 State employees, retirees, and their dependents. Your organization's work has consistently been of a high quality and delivered in a timely manner. Your organization has always responded quickly and responsibly to any issue of the department. This quick response has been of critical importance to this department in the operations of the BAS and IVR systems.

Gladys Gaskins

Director of Employee Benefits