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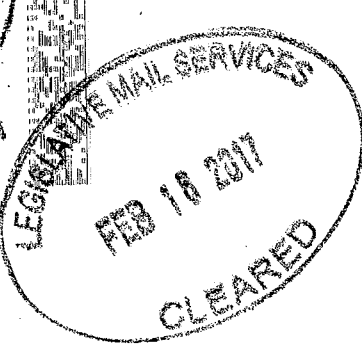
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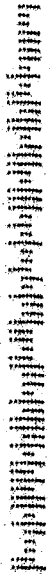
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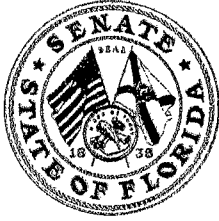
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Dear Mr. Remington:

We are in receipt of your letter to President Negron and Speaker Corcoran dated January 18. On behalf of Triumph Gulf Coast, Inc., you have posed three general questions regarding the appropriateness of awards to private corporations/entities, whether profit or non-profit; the acquisition/construction of improvements on privately owned property, whether profit or non-profit; and whether particular conditions or restrictions should be applied to certain awards.

While we appreciate the Triumph Gulf Coast Board of Directors (the Board) sincerity in fulfilling the intent of the Legislature and acknowledge their specific request for guidance as to the questions posed, such determinations should be made utilizing the deliberative and transparent process provided for under the Gulf Coast Economic Corridor Act (2013). The Legislature provided the framework for a long-term source of funding for efforts of economic recovery and enhancement in the Gulf Coast Region and trust the Board will diligently follow that process as it fulfills its mission.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Dawn K. Roberts".

Dawn K. Roberts  
General Counsel

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