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In Re: Film Tax Credits

Gentlemen:

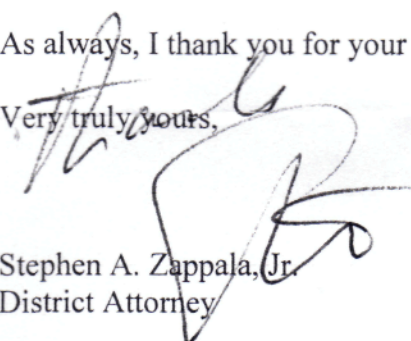
I am corresponding in connection with the above-captioned matter.

A friend of mine provided me with the attached information. From the information, it appears that the program has been tremendously successful for the Southwestern Region of Pennsylvania. To the extent that the legislature would take up the issue of the termination and/or modification of the tax credit, obviously the people within this industry would be adversely affected.

At your earliest opportunity, I ask that you please advise as to the future of this program.

As always, I thank you for your anticipated consideration.

Very truly yours,

  
Stephen A. Zappala, Jr.  
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Enclosure

CC: Scott Penner