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Governor Gary Herbert Office of the Governor Utah State Capitol, Suite 200 350 North State Street Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-2220 January 31, 2011 immediately after he presented this letter to them?

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Please read all pages

Dear Governor Herbert:

Mr. Thomas Rodgers of Bountiful, Utah, has been very persistent in calling attention to a very dangerous but often overlooked flaw in the design and construction of exhaust systems, commonly found in trailers and other low cost housing units. Mr. Rodgers claims that close proximity of the exhaust pipes to the intake pipes/valves to the heating systems are causing this problem especially when high snow and other debris blocks the intake pipe enabling dangerous toxic fumes to enter the trailer or living space. I have attached some of his handouts which provide detailed information about this major problem. Mr. Rodgers claims the U.S. Government and housing industry are intentionally denying the existence of this problem.

I am writing to recommend that if there is any possibility that what Mr. Rodgers is saying is correct to any degree, then this issue needs to be looked into and evaluated. Mr. Rodgers has a professional background in the sciences. Mr. Rodgers has taken this matter to the attention of the national office of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Indian Health Services. Both of these organizations chose to ignore him. He has also called upon the oldest lobbying organization in the United States, National Congress of American Indians, Washington D.C.

Any attention to this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Forrest S. Cuch

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RE: Forrest Cuch's Letter to Governor -- and his dismissal without notice?

Dear Rita, Elaine, Community Leaders in White Mesa, Towaoc, my dear friends, relatives.

At lunch-time on Wednesday Feb 23, Forrest spotted me in the State Capitol Cafeteria.

He sat and spoke with me, and asked what was happening on the poisoning risk problem I had discovered which potentially affected our relatives living in mobile homes.

I told him of my trip to Washington DC in December with NCAI (after being invited to go with NCAI by Pres. Jefferson Keel in our NCAI Conference in Albuquerque two months before), and how I stayed and spent a month after the NCAI meetings with Pres Obama, BIA and Congress, so that I could speak to all those persons and agencies who claimed to care about my Native relatives and their safety.

I told Forrest about my visits to 83 Senators, 52 Representative and all the agencies that had any responsibility in correcting this poisoning risk which is affecting our Native American friends and relatives who are living in mobile or HUD manufactured homes here and in almost every res community.

I told him of my disappointment in DC, and how I then focused my efforts back home on the Governors office and our Utah State Legislature and that, except for his help in getting me opportunity at the Native American Summits, nothing was happening to protect our own tribes and communities.

So in that very moment (Feb 23 at Noon time) Forrest committed to me that he would write his letter as soon as he got to his office that day and get it immediately to the Governor and to the Attorney General to see if we could provoke some live-saving action. He left me at the Capitol with that promise and my heart told me that he was true. So I know that as soon as Forrest got to his office he then wrote and delivered that letter to the Governor that afternoon or first thing the next morning (I know that because three business days later my copy showed up in my mail box).

Then imagine my shock and sorrow when I was told Forrest had been fired without explanation that very next day, Thursday afternoon, Feb 24. My heart was pained because Forrest had become my dear friend and my only true help in my labor to help inform and protect our relatives from this white-man designed poisoning and its cover-up.

I want to know why Forrest has been removed! -- just like so many others of my friends have been, as we are trying to expose and correct this atrocity perpetrated against my Native American relatives and their precious children and families!

Please share this wherever your heart tells you.

Thomas L Rodgers 801-298-9095

Please call me. (I would be honored, any time you can.)

Please see and share my websites http://GassingNativeAmerica.com or .us (which will also take you to http://LicenseToKill.us aka http://LicenseToKill.us aka http://ThreeFeetFromDeath.us)

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