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Robert Dixon
Director
Missouri Department of Economic Development
301 West High Street, Suite 680, Harry S Truman Office Building
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Dear Director Dixon:

As the Governor of the State of Missouri, I hereby designate the Department of Economic Development as the state agency with authority under 8 C.F.R. § 204.6(i).

Pursuant to this delegation of authority, the Department of Economic Development may designate a particular geographic or political subdivision located within a metropolitan statistical area or within a city or town having a population of 20,000 or more within the State as an area of high unemployment. Such an area is defined as at least 150 percent of the national average rate for the purposes of certifying such for applicants under the EB-5 Investor Visa program administered by the USCIS.

In acting on my behalf in making this designation, you will be guided by all applicable laws and regulations.

Unless otherwise revoked, this delegation will remain in effect as long as you are serving in your present capacity of the Director of the Department of Economic Development.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Eric R. Greitens", written over a horizontal line.

Eric R. Greitens
Governor