

North Carolina Department of Commerce

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MEMORANDUM

To:

N.C. General Assembly – Revenue Laws Study Committee, the Joint Legislative Commission on Governmental Operations, the Senate Appropriations Committee on Natural and Economic Resources, the House of Representatives Appropriations Subcommittee on Natural and Economic Resources, and the Fiscal Research Division of the Legislative Services Commission

From: David Efird, N.C. Department of Commerce

Date: October 1, 2016

Re: Clawback Report

Pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. § 143B-435.1(d), the following report is submitted by the N.C. Department of Commerce for all state and federal programs it administers for economic development purposes. This report is for clawbacks received as of September 1, 2016.

| PROGRAM | COMPANY OR LOCAL GOVERNMENT RECIPIENT | TOTAL AMT OWED | AMT REPAID | DATE RECOVERED | AMT LEFT TO BE REPAID | TRIGGERING EVENT |
|---------------------|---|-------------------|---------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
| One NC ¹ | Philip Morris USA | \$750,000.00 | \$750,000.00 | 7/5/2007 | \$0.00 | Facility closed |
| One NC | Pulte Mortgage | \$55,000.00 | \$55,000.00 | 10/6/2008 | \$0.00 | Facility closed |
| One NC | Menlo Logistics | \$15,000.00 | \$15,000.00 | 5/27/2010 | \$0.00 | Facility closed |
| One NC | AmeriKart (NC) Corp | \$11,616.00 | \$11,616.06 | 7/27/2010 | \$0.00 | Local match not completed |
| One NC | IWCO | \$93,750.00 | \$93,749.94 | 5/21/2011 | \$0.00 (\$.06 forgiven) | Facility closed |
| OneNC | Spirit AeroSystems North Carolina, Inc. | \$98,181.82 | \$98,181.82 | 4/9/2015 | \$0.00 | Job creation goals not met |
| OneNC | Timco Aviation Services, Inc. | \$12,090 | \$12,090 | 9/22/2015 | \$0.00 | Job creation goals not met |
| OneNC | Chiquita Brands International, Inc. | \$1,021,275 | \$1,021,275 | 1/5/2016 | \$0.00 | Facility closed |
| OneNC | Celgard, LLC (1) | \$143,247 | \$143,247 | 3/9/2016 | \$0.00 | Job creation goals not met |

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¹ In accordance with the One North Carolina Fund statute, grant agreements under the program include the ability to recapture funds for a grantee's failure to comply with specific requirements of the agreement. *See* N.C. Gen. Stat. § 143B-437.72(b)(7). In addition, Section 2.7 of The Guidelines for One North Carolina also requires that agreements contain recapture provisions for nonperformance.

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| OneNC | Pro Refrigeration, Inc. | \$3,000 | \$3,000 | 3/19/2016 | \$0.00 | Investment fell short |
| JDIG ² | Brunswick Corporation | \$83,524.00 | \$83,524.00 | 4/23/2009 | \$0.00 | Facility closed |
| JDIG | Dell Products LP | \$1,512,000.00 | \$1,512,000.00 | 11/16/2009 | \$0.00 | Termination of project activities |
| JDIG | Volvo Construction Equipment | \$69,247.00 | \$69,247.00 | 1/4/2010 | \$0.00 | Termination of project activities |
| JDIG | General Electric Company II | \$411,692.00 | \$411,692.00 | 5/30/2010 | \$0.00 | Termination of grant |
| JDIG | Novo Nordisk | \$129,750.00 | \$129,750.00 | 8/12/2010 | \$0.00 | Reduced hiring need; repaid in order to commence other competitive project eligible for grant |
| JDIG | ITG Automotive Safety Textiles, LLC (Narricot Industries) | \$13,780.00 | \$13,780.00 | 9/1/2010 | \$0.00 | Termination of project activities |
| JDIG | Headway Corporation | \$50,175.00 | \$50,175.00 | 10/29/2010 | \$0.00 | Termination of project activities |
| JDIG | GE-Hitachi Nuclear Energy Americas LLC | \$199,993.00 | \$199,993.00 | 1/27/2012 | \$0.00 | Termination of grant |
| JDIG | Chris-Craft Corporation | \$54,212.00 | \$54,212.00 | 12/13/2012 | \$0.00 | Termination of project activities |
| JDIG | Chiquita Brands International, Inc. | \$543,368.00 | \$543,368.00 | 1/5/2016 | \$0.00 | Termination of project activities |
| JDIG | Sequenom Center for Molecular Medicine, LLC | \$54,457 | \$54,457 | 6/14/2016 | \$0.00 | Company failed to maintain operations at the Facility for the full Agreement Term |
| IDF ³ | Town of China Grove | \$5,130.59 | \$5,130.59 | 2/14/2013 | \$0.00 | Job creation goals not met |
| IDF | Elizabeth City | \$65,000.00 | \$65,000.00 | 11/18/2013 | \$0.00 | Job creation goals not met |
| IDF | Wilson County | \$10,000 | \$10,000 | 1/29/2016 | \$0.00 | Job creation goals not met |
| IDF | Halifax County | \$64,869 | \$64,869 | 8/28/2015 | \$0.00 | Job creation goals not met |

² In accordance with the JDIG statute, grant agreements under the program include the ability to recapture funds if a grantee fails to maintain operations at the project location for at least 150% of the grant term. *See* N.C. Gen. Stat. § 143B-437.57(a)(10). This requirement is also reflected in Section 11.3 of the Criteria for Operation and Implementation of the Job Development Investment Grant Program. There are other circumstances of reduced activity that have resulted in grantees voluntarily repaying grant amounts previously disbursed.

³ In accordance with the Industrial Development Fund statute and administrative rules, if grant awards to units of local government are tied to job creation, the Department may recapture grant payments disbursed should a company fail to create the required number of jobs. *See* N.C. Gen. Stat. § 143B-437.01 and 4 N.C.A.C. 1I .0202.

| Green Business Fund ⁴ | Evans Environmental Energies, Inc. | \$15,40.42 | \$15,540.42 | 10/29/2009 | \$0.00 | Project terminated due to industrial accident and declining economy |
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| Building Reuse ⁵ | City of Mount Airy | \$22,180.53 | \$22,180.53 | 2/12/2014 | \$0.00 | Job creation goals not met |
| Building Reuse | Town of Sawmills | \$9,738.00 | \$9,738.00 | 4/9/2014 | \$0.00 | Job creation goals not met |
| Building Reuse | Pitt County | \$18,481.99 | \$18,481.99 | 3/24/2014 | \$0.00 | Job creation goals not met |
| Building Reuse | Town of Benson | \$15,009.84 | \$15,009.84 | 11/20/2013 | \$0.00 | Job creation goals not met |
| Building Reuse | City of Lenoir | \$54,509.00 | \$54,509.00 | 1/28/2014 | \$0.00 | Job creation goals not met |
| Building Reuse | Town of Elkin | \$2,873.87 | \$2,873.87 | 3/11/2015 | \$0.00 | Job creation goals not met |
| Building Reuse | Caldwell County | \$16,000.00 | \$16,000.00 | 12/9/2015 | \$0.00 | Job creation goals not met |
| Building Reuse | Town of Franklinton | \$16,000.00 | \$16,000.00 | 12/15/2015 | \$0.00 | Job creation goals not met |
| Building Reuse | Caldwell County | \$36,000.00 | \$12,000.00 | 1/29/2016 | \$24,000.00 | Job creation goals not met |
| Building Reuse | Town of Granite Falls | \$36,000.00 | \$18,000.00 | 2/5/2016 | \$18,000.00 | Job creation goals not met |
| Economic Infrastructure ⁶ | Moore County | \$180,000.00 | \$180,000.00 | 9/2/2014 | \$0.00 | Job creation goals not met |
| Economic Infrastructure | City of Rocky Mount | \$29,532.30 | \$29,532.30 | 04/28/15 | \$0.00 | Job creation goals not met |
| Economic Infrastructure | City of Mount Airy | \$100,000.00 | \$100,000.00 | 04/06/15 | \$0.00 | Job creation goals not met |
| Economic Infrastructure | Town of Lillington | \$39,976.00 | \$39,976.00 | 07/31/15 | \$0.00 | Job creation goals not met |
| Economic Infrastructure | City of Locust | \$5,000.00 | \$5,000.00 | 12/21/2015 | \$0.00 | Job creation goals not met |
| CDBG | City of Roanoke Rapids | \$538,155.12 | \$538,155.12 | 7/1/2015 | \$0.00 | Job creation not met |
| CDBG | Town of Fairmont | \$251,093.06 | \$188,319.79 | 7/1/2016 | \$0.00 | Job creation not met |
| CDBG | Cleveland County | \$200,000.00 | \$200,000.00 | 7/1/2015 | \$0.00 | Job creation not met |
| CDBG | Town of Long View | \$367,002.00 | \$122,334.00 | 7/1/2016 | \$244,668.00 | Job creation not met |

⁴ In accordance with the N.C. Green Business Fund statute, grant agreements and program guidelines include the ability to recapture funds for performance failures. *See* N.C. Gen. Stat. § 143B-437.6(5).

⁵ These Building Reuse grants were transferred to the Department from the Rural Economic Development Center on October 31, 2013, and are continuing to be administered by the Department's Rural Economic Development Division.

⁶ These Economic Infrastructure grants were transferred to the Department from the Rural Economic Development Center on October 31, 2013, and are continuing to be administered by the Department's Rural Economic Development Division.

| CDBG | Vance County | \$750,000.00 | \$130,000.00 | 7/1/2016 | \$620,000.00 | Job creation not |
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