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Victoria Newton  
Executive Secretary  
Executive Council  
State Capitol  
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Re: Payment of Claims for Fees by Special Counsel

Dear Victoria:

Our office is forwarding to the Executive Council for payment of attorney fees and costs in the amount of \$686.00 in *Robert Kurtz v. Iowa Department of Transportation and State of Iowa and Second Injury Fund of Iowa*, a workers' compensation case filed by a state employee in which Ryan Clark, of The Patterson Law Firm, L.L.P., in Des Moines has been retained to represent the Second Injury Fund.

The amount of the claim appears to be reasonable. We have reviewed both the billing and the Services Agreement and recommend payment.

Sincerely,



JEFFREY THOMPSON  
Solicitor General