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June 13, 2007

Mr. Jim Nosler  
President  
Leander Educational Excellence Foundation  
P. O. Box 358  
Cedar Park, Texas 78630-0358

Dear Mr. Nosler:

Effective Aug. 28, 2006, Leander Educational Excellence Foundation is exempt from Texas franchise tax and sales and use tax as a 501(c)(3) organization. The exemption does not extend to hotel occupancy tax.

The organization has a Texas sales and use tax permit, and the Texas taxpayer number assigned to the organization is 12054645457. Please reference this number in correspondence with us. Exempt organizations must collect taxes on most of their sales. Please give our Tax Assistance Section a call at (800) 252-5555 if you have questions about your sales tax responsibilities.

The sales tax exemption extends to goods and services purchased for use by your organization. The exemption does not apply if the purchase is for the personal benefit of an individual or private party, or is not related to the organization's exempt purpose. For more information, please see our publication # 96-122, *Exempt Organizations – Sales and Purchases*.

The enclosed exemption certificate can be issued instead of paying tax when buying taxable items related to the exempt purpose of the organization. Make as many copies of the exemption certificate as you need. The exemption certificate does not need a taxpayer number to be valid, but you may provide your taxpayer number if the seller requests it.

Changes to the organization's registered agent and registered office address must be filed with the Texas Secretary of State. The changes can be made online at <http://www.sos.state.tx.us/corp/sosda/index.shtml> or you can download the forms and instructions from [http://www.sos.state.tx.us/corp/forms\\_option.shtml](http://www.sos.state.tx.us/corp/forms_option.shtml). You can also contact them at [corpinfo@sos.state.tx.us](mailto:corpinfo@sos.state.tx.us) or by calling (512) 463-5582. It is important to maintain current registered agent information, because this is how we will contact you if we have reason to believe that your organization no longer qualifies for exemption.

Our goal is to provide you with prompt, professional service. Please take a moment to complete the enclosed survey. If it is more convenient, you may complete our on-line survey at <http://aixtcp.cpa.state.tx.us/surveys/tpsuv2/index.html>.

If you have any questions, write to us at [exempt.orgs@cpa.state.tx.us](mailto:exempt.orgs@cpa.state.tx.us), or call us toll-free at (800) 531-5441, ext., 66922. Also, our publications and other helpful information are online at <http://www.window.state.tx.us/taxinfo/exempt>.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "WynNelle Leeth".

WynNelle Leeth  
Exempt Organizations Section