



# COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

## Virginia Employment Commission

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Dear Policy Committee Member:

I would like to update you on recent administrative changes affecting Virginia's Migrant and Seasonal Farmworkers Board (MSFW) and the Interagency Migrant Worker Policy Committee.

As of July 1, 2004, both the MSFW Board and the Interagency Migrant Worker Policy Committee, formerly supported by the staff of the Virginia Department of Labor and Industry, have been assigned to the Virginia Employment Commission (VEC) for such support. This action was taken by the General Assembly during the 2004 session and may be found in "Acts of the Assembly, Chapter 592", and at:

<http://leg1.state.va.us/cgi-bin/legp504.exe?041+ful+CHAP0592>

As Commissioner of the Virginia Employment Commission, I have assumed the coordination roles previously held by the Commissioner of the Department of Labor and Industry, Ray Davenport.

We are excited to have both the MSFW Board and the Interagency Migrant Worker Policy Committee as a part of our overall activities to serve the labor needs of Virginia's agricultural community. To that end, I extend a very sincere invitation for you to participate in the activities of the MSFW Board.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact Sam Shaw here at the VEC. I have asked him to provide direct staff assistance and coordination. He may be reached at (804) 786-3001, or [sshaw@vec.state.va.us](mailto:sshaw@vec.state.va.us).

I look forward to working with each of you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Dolores A. Esser".

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