



April 28, 2025

Mr. Jerry McGinty
Executive Director
Legislative Budget Board
P.O. Box 12666
Austin, Texas 78711-2666

Dear Mr. McGinty:

Pursuant to Section 482.302, Government Code, the Texas Space Commission ("Commission") must provide written notification to the Legislative Budget Board not later than the thirtieth day after a grant award is made from the Space Exploration and Aeronautics Research Fund.

Accordingly, this letter serves to notify the Legislative Budget Board the Commission awarded up to \$10,000,000 to Intuitive Machines, LLC for research and development costs incurred in the development of a commercial orbital return vehicle designed to launch on low-cost rideshare, perform autonomous manufacturing and scientific operations in orbit, then return for offloading, refurbishment, and reuse.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 512-463-8575 or Norman.Garza@space.texas.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Norman R. Garza, Jr.".

Norman R. Garza, Jr.
Executive Director

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cc: Erin E. Chancellor, Chief Compliance Officer, Texas Space Commission
Blake Calvert, Deputy Executive Director, Texas Space Commission
Suzanne Johnson, Director of Administration, Office of the Governor
Warren Collier, Director of Financial Services, Office of the Governor