** Public Meeting Notice **

July 9, 2007

TO: Members of the Buckeye Tobacco Settlement Financing Authority and

their designees

Ted Strickland, Governor

Richard Cordray, Treasurer of State

Chris Glaros

Kurt Kauffman

(my designee)

FROM: J. Pari Sabety, Secretary of the Buckeye Tobacco Settlement Financing Authority

SUBJECT: Meeting on Wednesday, July 11, 2007, at 3:00 p.m.

in Conference Room A of the Office of Budget and Management

(35th Floor, Rhodes State Office Tower)

Pursuant to the Bylaws of the Buckeye Tobacco Settlement Financing Authority, I am notifying you of the next meeting of the Authority to be held on July 11, 2007, at 3:00 p.m. in Conference Room A of the Office of Budget and Management (35th Floor, Rhodes State Office Tower, 30 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio). The Authority will consider and act on a motion to release a Request for Proposals (RFP) for financial advisory services. The Authority will also discuss a draft timeline for the release of additional RFPs and the selection of firms to provide the professional services necessary for the proposed tobacco securitization.

If you or members of your staff have any questions, please contact me or Kurt Kauffman of my staff at 466-0691.

cc. Marc Dann, Attorney General
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Jake Wozniak, Assistant Treasurer