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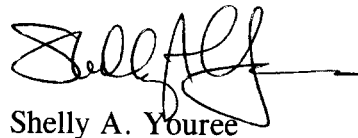
Re: Ennis Business Forms, Inc. Executive Deferred Compensation Plan

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed for filing with respect to the above captioned Plan is a statement prepared to comply with the alternative method of compliance with the reporting and disclosure requirements of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended, as prescribed by DOL Reg. §2520.104-23. Ennis Business Forms will provide a copy of the Plan to you upon request.

Thank you for your attention to this filing.

Very truly yours,



Shelly A. Youree

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ENNIS BUSINESS FORMS, INC.

**ALTERNATE METHOD OF COMPLIANCE
PURSUANT TO DOL REG. § 2520.104-23**

Ennis Business Forms, Inc., a Texas corporation (the "Company"), maintains the plan named in item 2. below, which is an unfunded pension plan maintained by the Company primarily for the purpose of providing deferred compensation to a select group of management or highly compensated employees. The following information is provided for purposes of compliance with Section 2520.104-23 of the Department of Labor Regulations:

1. The name, address and employer identification number of the Company are as follows:

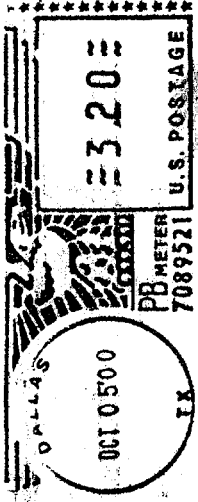
Ennis Business Forms, Inc.
1510 N. Hampton, Suite 300
DeSoto, Texas 75115

Employer Identification Number: 75-0256410

2. The unfunded pension plan maintained by the Company for a select group of management or highly compensated employees and the number of employees in such plan as of September 15, 2000 are as follows:

<u>Name of Plan</u>	<u>Number of Employees</u>
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