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Governor Greg Abbott
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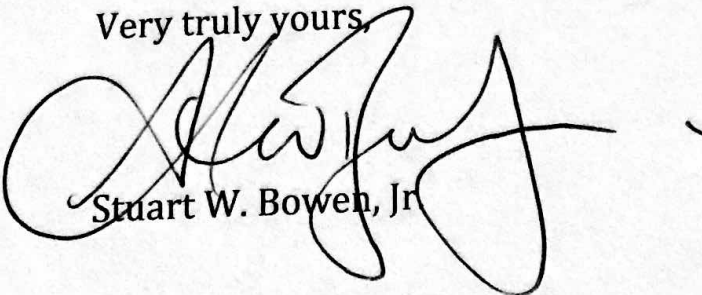
Dear Governor Abbott:

I write to tender my resignation as Inspector General of the Health and Human Services Commission so that I may pursue new opportunities that are before me.

Thank you for the privilege of serving the people of the State of Texas over the past two years.

I am proud of the many successes that my truly outstanding staff and I have succeeded in securing as we turned the office into the high performing oversight agency that it is today.

Very truly yours,



Stuart W. Bowen, Jr.