September 5, 2001

Mr. Tom Hunter Executive Director Appalachian Regional Commission 1666 Connecticut Avenue Northwest Washington, D.C. 20009-1068

Dear Mr. Hunter:

The State of Mississippi respectfully submits East Central Planning and Development District, Golden Triangle Planning and Development District, North Central Planning and Development District, Northeast Mississippi Planning and Development District and Three Rivers Planning and Development District applications for funding in Fiscal Year 2002.

If you have questions or need additional assistance, please contact our office.

Sincerely,

Bill Renick ARC State Alternate