

ADVISORY NO. 146

**TOPIC: ADJUSTED GROSS ANNUAL PAYROLL REQUIREMENT
 - SEASONAL WORKERS**

The TWCC has issued a report stating that the adjusted gross annual payroll requirement of an employer for coverage of seasonal workers (under the provisions of the Labor Code - Sec. 406.162), is \$34,277. This payroll amount will be used in 1995 to apply against an agricultural employer's 1994 payroll, and also to determine whether a farm or ranch worker is covered by workers' compensation.

The State Comptroller's office has established that Texas' inflation was 2.9% during the time period from September 1993 through August 1994.