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TO: Ricardo Prieto, Region VI
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FROM: Kelly Fields, Industrial Hygienist
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Kelly Fields

SUBJECT: Asbestos Inspection Reports--Information

Attached is a copy of the U.S. Public Health Services' Asbestos Inspection Reports for the SSA Field Office (794) located 300 Leisure Lane, Bartlesville, Oklahoma 74006. We have reviewed this report and concur with its findings. No asbestos containing materials were identified at this office.

Please forward a copy of the Asbestos Inspection Report to your regional labor management representative for distribution to the Union health and safety representative for distribution to the lessor. Should this office relocate or acquire additional space in the future, contact our office so we can issue the appropriate asbestos assessments.

If you have any questions or need additional information concerning this document, please contact Kelly Fields at 410-594-2336 or Kim Burket at 410-966-1787. If you have any other environmental concerns, please contact out Environmental Hotline on 410-966-1568.

Attachments: Asbestos Inspection Report for the Bartlesville, OK SSA Field Office

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A. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

On July 23, 2007, Manesh Patel, accredited asbestos inspector representing the U.S. Public Health Service Federal Occupational Health, conducted an initial asbestos inspection at the Bartlesville Field Office (Social Security Administration Code 794, GSA building number OK1309) located at 300 Leisure Lane in Bartlesville, OK 74006. The asbestos inspection included the visual examination of all Social Security Administration occupied spaces, mechanical spaces serving the SSA office, bulk sampling suspect materials, and analysis of suspected asbestos-containing building materials identified at the facility. Eleven building materials suspected of containing asbestos were identified that included: ceiling tile, wallboard, joint compound, ceiling/wall texture, wall vinyl base cove and associated adhesive, carpet adhesive, floor tile and associated adhesive, caulking, and sink coating. Thirty-nine bulk samples of building materials suspected to contain asbestos were collected during this asbestos inspection. One of the bulk samples was multi-layered. A total of forty bulk materials were analyzed. The Federal Occupational Health National Environmental Reference Laboratory in Denver, Colorado analyzed samples for asbestos using polarized light microscopy.

Laboratory analytical results indicated that asbestos was not detected in any of the building materials sampled during this inspection. No further action is necessary.