

July 13, 2020

Mr. Richard Mendelson Regional Administrator Federal Building 201 Varick Street, Room 670 New York, NY 10014

Dear Mr. Mendelson:

We received the FY 2019 Comprehensive Federal Annual Monitoring and Evaluation (FAME) Report for the Puerto Rico Occupational Safety and Health Administration (PR OSHA) State Plan.

It was a pleasure again to be part of this process by members of your Region II Staff, Mr. Mike Levy, Mrs. Carol Tiedman, Mrs. Audrey Pomales, Mrs. Madeline Medina and Mr. Rubén López. They worked very hard, and in our appreciation, we are thankful for their dedication with our program.

In these challenging times, we have been hard pressed to keep the quality of our office, and we work hard to be one of the best state plans in Region II. We know all is not perfect, but we face the new challenges of this Fame report.

We believe that we corrected all the findings of this report already, but we want to be absolutely fixed this issue with our new hires that will take place during this month. That is the reason we are asking until December 31, 2020 to finally close this finding.

Thank you again for your hard work, support, and cooperation. I am available to answer any questions.

Sincerely,

Luis E. Pardo Rosado Assistant Secretary

