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## SAMPLE MANAGEMENT REPRESENTATION LETTER FOR PERFORMANCE AUDITS

[Letterhead of the Auditee]

[Date after Completion of Audit Field Work]

[To the RIG/Audit Division]

In connection with your audit of the [activity or function] of [name of auditee] as of [date] and for the [period under audit], we confirm, to the best or our knowledge and belief, the following representations made to you during your audit.

- 1. For the [activity or function under audit], we are responsible for
  - The internal control system,
  - Compliance with applicable laws and regulations, and
  - The fairness and accuracy of the accounting and management information.
- 2. We have made available to you all the financial and management information associated with the [activity or function under audit].
- 3. We acknowledge our responsibility for the design and implementation of programs and controls to prevent and detect fraud.
- 4. We have no knowledge of any fraud or suspected fraud affecting the entity involving
  - Management.
  - Employees who have significant roles in internal control.

- Others where the fraud could have a material effect on the financial statements.
- 5. We have no knowledge of any allegations of fraud or suspected fraud affecting the entity received in communication from employees, former employees, analysts, regulators or others.
- 6. There are no material instances where financial or management information has not been properly and accurately recorded and reported.
- 7. For the [activity or functions], there have been no
  - Instances of noncompliance with Agency policies and procedures for the [activity or function].
  - Violations or possible violations of laws or regulations.
- 8. We have complied with all aspects of contractual agreements that would significantly affect the [activity or function].
- 9. No events have occurred subsequent to the period under audit that would affect the above representations.

[Name of the head of the auditee's organization and title]

[Name of the auditee's controller and title]

[Note: The above sample management representation letter has no matters requiring specific disclosure to the auditor. If such matters exist, list them as exceptions following the applicable representation.]

<sup>[</sup>Name of official having the most direct responsibility for the activity or function]