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Ernie Valdez
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Dear E. Valdez:

Subject: Partners in Protection – Membership Approved
PIP ID# 10843

On behalf of the Canada Border Services Agency (CBSA), we would like to thank you for participating in the Partners in Protection (PIP) program.

Your application for PIP membership has been approved and we are enclosing a signed copy of the Memorandum of Understanding and your membership certificate. Your company will also be listed as a PIP member on our website, as requested in your Security Profile.

The Intelligence Officer (IO) for your region is Dena Bradt and you may contact the IO by sending an e-mail to dena.bradt@cbsa-asfc.gc.ca or you can call Ms. Bradt at 905-354-6595.

Please remember that you must advise the IO in writing or send an e-mail to PIP regarding any changes to your company, including the security profile, business, contact and subsidiary company information, or if you reconsider having your company listed on the PIP website.

As well, every three years, your company must submit an updated security profile and will be required to undergo a site validation to continue participating in the PIP program.

In closing, I would like to take this opportunity to commend your organization for the responsible role it has undertaken in this important initiative to protect the health, safety and economic prosperity of Canadians and I look forward to a successful partnership.

Please do not hesitate to contact the PIP program at pip-pep@cbsa-asfc.gc.ca if you have any questions or require further information.

Sincerely,

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