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MEMORANDUM FOR: BRENT PARTON

Acting Assistant Secretary

for Employment and Training Administration

FROM: CAROLYN R. HANTZ

Assistant Inspector General

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for Audit

SUBJECT: DOL-OIG and SBA-OIG Joint Review of

Unemployment Insurance and Economic Injury

Disaster Loan Data

Please be advised that the Department of Labor's Office of Inspector General (OIG) is collaborating with the Small Business Administration (SBA) OIG to review both Unemployment Insurance (UI) and Economic Injury Disaster Loan (EIDL) data that may help mitigate or prevent fraudulent payments. We will contact your audit liaison to schedule a meeting to discuss the audit objective(s), scope, and methodology. We plan to begin work immediately and would appreciate you notifying appropriate agency officials of our plans.

If you have questions, please contact Michael Kostrzewa, Audit Director, at 972-850-4003.

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