Appendix A

OWCP's Response to the Draft Report

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Act Special Fund Audit

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This memorandum responds to the above referenced draft report. We concur with the Office of Inspector General's opinion on the financial statements. The results of this audit demonstrate that the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs produced accurate financial statements; established and maintained effective internal controls over financial reporting; and complied with laws, regulations applicable to the Fund. As always, we appreciate the opportunity to provide input and look forward to continued collaboration with your office.

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