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Dr. Chi-Chang Kao  
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Dear Dr. Kao:

It is a pleasure to inform you that Stanford University (SU) at the Department of Energy (DOE) Stanford National Accelerator Laboratory (SLAC) has successfully completed the DOE Earned Value Management System (EVMS) surveillance review process. As a result of the independent surveillance review conducted and the corrective actions taken by SLAC, it has been determined that the EVMS meets the requirements of the American National Standards Institute/Electrical Industries Alliance (ANSI/EIA)-748B.

To verify EVMS acceptance, an independent surveillance/EVMS Acceptance Review was conducted at SLAC in March 2013, to determine if the SU EVMS met the ANSI requirements—corrective actions were completed in September 2013. During the review, the Surveillance Review Team found and reported one Corrective Action Requests (CAR):

1. CAR-01—Within the Research Support Building (RSB) Project, the surveillance review team found 8 control accounts in which the project team was mixing level of effort work activities with discrete work.

The action implemented by SU in the Corrective Action Plan (CAP), to address the CAR is acceptable.

The Surveillance Review Team also identified five Continuous Improvement Opportunities (CIO), which are not strict requirements, but would improve the SLAC system. The CIO corrective actions proposed and employed by SU are also acceptable.



OPA urges you to continue to maintain the high level of compliance that your staff demonstrated to the EVMS Review Committee during the on-site review and CAR resolution process to ensure continuing ANSI compliance and valid EVMS certification.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Stephen W. Meador". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial 'S' and 'M'.

Stephen W. Meador  
Acting Director  
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