

Employer ID: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Reference Code(s): CE # \_\_\_\_\_\_, EV13 and EV27

#### DATE

Business Name ATTN: Corporate Administrator or Program Administrator's Name Street Address City, State Zip Code

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Verification Division,
Enterprise Services Directorate,
U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services



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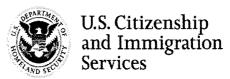
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#### U.S. Department of Homeland Security

U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services Enterprise Services Directorate (MS 2600) Washington, DC 20529-2600



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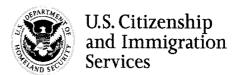
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Sincerely,





Employer ID: \_\_\_\_\_\_ EV01a

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A routine review of our records shows that you have submitted multiple cases with the same Social Security Number that resulted in Employment Authorized resolutions. As a valued E-Verify customer, we would like to remind you that each employee should only be run through E-Verify one time. If your designated E-Verify user realizes a data entry error has occurred after the case has been submitted for initial verification, and/or when the initial verification results are returned, the user should choose the "Invalid Query" option to properly close the transaction. The user may then initiate a new case for the same employee.

Following E-Verify policies and procedures is essential to protect the rights of both the employer and employee. Please review this information with your company's designated users to ensure those who are responsible for initiating E-Verify cases follow the verification process correctly. These procedures can be found in the *E-Verify User Manual for Employers* at <a href="http://www.uscis.gov/USCIS/E-Verify/Customer%20Support/E-Verify%20User%20Manual%20for%20Employers%20R3%200-%20Final.pdf">http://www.uscis.gov/USCIS/E-Verify/Customer%20Support/E-Verify%20User%20Manual%20for%20Employers%20R3%200-%20Final.pdf</a>. You may also find additional information about E-Verify at <a href="https://www.dhs.gov/E-Verify">www.dhs.gov/E-Verify</a>.

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Employer ID: \_\_\_\_\_EV10

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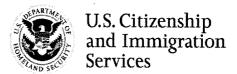
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We would like to take this opportunity to provide any assistance we can to your company with its E-Verify usage. Procedures for using the system can be found in the *E-Verify User Manual for Employers* at <a href="http://www.uscis.gov/USCIS/E-Verify/Customer%20Support/E-Verify%20User%20Manual%20for%20Employers%20R3%200-%20Final.pdf">http://www.uscis.gov/USCIS/E-Verify/Customer%20Support/E-Verify%20User%20Manual%20for%20Employers%20R3%200-%20Final.pdf</a>. You may find additional information about E-Verify at <a href="http://www.uscis.gov/E-Verify">www.uscis.gov/E-Verify</a>. You may also sign up for a free 1 1/2 hour E-Verify Webinar that includes a topic overview, demonstration of the E-Verify system, if applicable, and a question and answer session by clicking on "Sign up for a Webinar" at <a href="http://www.uscis.gov/portal/site/uscis/e-verify">http://www.uscis.gov/portal/site/uscis/e-verify</a>.

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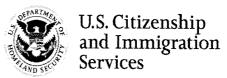
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- Your company's Employer ID number and the reference code found at the top right corner of this letter. This information should be included in the email subject.
- The reason your company has not been using E-Verify
- If your company is no longer interested in participating in E-Verify, you should request that your company's participation be terminated along with the reason for termination.
- If your company intends to use E-Verify in the future, you should first review and update the company's user contact information which can be found in the My Company page in E-Verify. After you have reviewed and updated this information, please notify us that you intend to use E-Verify and have updated your contact information.

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# E-Verify Verification Division Monitoring & Compliance Branch

Employer ID(s): 1234; 3254; 6589

Monday, March 21, 2011
Dear,
Our records show that your company has not verified a new hire in the past two years even though you a registered as a participating E-Verify employer.

Please contact us at <u>E-Verify@dhs.gov</u> within 14 federal government workdays of the date of this email and provide us with the following information:

- The reason your company has not used E-Verify (e.g., no new hires, registered and verifying new hires under a different Employer ID, using a E-Verify Employer Agent (EEA) to perform your company's verifications)
- Whether your company intends to use E-Verify in the future
  - o If your company intends to use E-Verify in the future, review and update your company's profile and designated user contact information in the "My Company" page of the E-Verify web site
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## Overview of USCIS E-Verify Monitoring and Compliance

The USCIS Verification Division's Monitoring and Compliance (M&C) Branch is responsible for ensuring the integrity of the E-Verify program by detecting and deterring improper use of the system; identifying and reporting discriminatory practices and safeguarding privacy interests. The mission of the M&C Branch is to assure the proper and nondiscriminatory use of the E-Verify Program by identifying, assessing and resolving compliance issues, offering compliance assistance, and referring significant unresolved incidents to other entities for enforcement.

The M&C Branch uses algorithms to detect patterns of potential program misuse. For example, the M&C Branch monitors and commences compliance actions in response to the following behaviors: multiple uses of a Social Security number; aberrant non-use of E-Verify; failure to contest TNCs; failure to verify within three days of hire, and impermissible verification of existing employees.

The M&C Branch uses different compliance assistance tools such as letters, emails, telephone calls, and beginning in June 2011 site visits. During Fiscal Year (FY) 2010, 16,514 compliance assistance activities, consisting of 15,794 letters and 720 telephone calls, were used in response to potential system misuse. As of June 10, 2011, the M&C Branch has issued 22,191 compliance assistance actions in FY 2011, consisting of 13,113 letters, 661 compliance calls and 8,417 emails. Additionally, the M&C Branch also refers instances of egregious noncompliance to Immigration and Customs Enforcement or the Department of Justice's Office of Special Counsel for Immigration-Related Unfair Employment Practices.