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Executive Directors of LSC Recipients
Independent Public Accountants for LSC Programs

Subject: Suspension of Audit Bulletin 2009-01

The OIG is temporarily suspending implementation of Audit Bulletin 2009-01, and the Bulletin will not be implemented for the current audit cycle. Implementation of the Audit Bulletin will necessitate preparatory work at the recipient management level before the required audit work can be performed, making it impracticable to implement the Bulletin for the current audit cycle. Additionally, there exists the possibility that current audit requirements could be changed by legislation recently introduced in Congress. Under these circumstances, the OIG determined the most prudent course of action is to suspend implementation of the Audit Bulletin rather than requiring recipients to devote significant effort and additional resources to implementing the bulletin at this time. Should the statutory language remain unchanged, the OIG's instructions will provide guidance concerning the implementation of Audit Bulletin 2009-01. The OIG will designate the covered audit cycle with sufficient lead time to provide recipient management with adequate time to ensure orderly implementation.

Sincerely,



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