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Notice of NIJ-approved Laboratory Status
Laboratory: Susquehanna Labs, LLC
Scope: NIJ 0101.07, Ballistic Resistance of Body Armor
NIJ 0123.00, Specification for NIJ Ballistic Protection Levels and Associated Test Threats, Appendix A: Ammunition Audit Process
NIJ 0101.06, Ballistic Resistance of Body Armor, Section 7, Ballistic Test Methods
NIJ 0101.06, Ballistic Resistance of Body Armor, Section 6, Hard Armor Conditioning Protocol
NIJ 0101.06, Ballistic Resistance of Body Armor, Section 5, Flexible Armor Conditioning Protocol
NIJ 0115.00, Stab Resistance of Personal Body Armor
Expiration: **August 1, 2028**

Dear Mr. Hinder and Mr. McDowell:

The National Institute of Justice (NIJ) has completed its review of your application for participation in the NIJ Compliance Testing Program (CTP). We hereby inform you that your laboratory will be recognized on NIJ's list of approved laboratories, which is made available at https://cjttec.org/compliance-testing-program/nij-approved-test-laboratories/. As an NIJ-approved laboratory, you are authorized to conduct compliance testing in accordance with the standards listed above. All terms and conditions noted in your signed NIJ Compliance Testing Program Laboratory Application and Agreement are in effect and will remain so unless otherwise modified in writing by NIJ.

Any questions regarding your laboratory status as it pertains to the NIJ CTP should be directed to the Criminal Justice Technology, Testing, and Evaluation Center by email at bactp@nijctp.org or by telephone at 919-485-52717, or to me by email at mark.greene2@usdoj.gov or by telephone at 202-598-9481.

Sincerely,

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