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Luis E. Torrado, President  
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RE: Pennsylvania Unified Certification Program  
Continued Eligibility for TORRADO CONSTRUCTION COMPANY INC

**DBE Certification**

**PA UCP No: 11168**

**SEPTA No: 1460-0111-4**

**Anniversary Date – Annually on January 31**

Dear Entrepreneur:

The Southeastern Pennsylvania Transportation Authority (SEPTA), a certifying participant in the Pennsylvania Unified Certification Program (PA UCP), has reviewed your request for certification as a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) and is pleased to inform you that your firm appears to meet the requirements established by the United States Department of Transportation in title 49, Part 26 of the Code of Federal Regulations. Consequently, your firm is now certified as a DBE to participate in the program in the following classification(s) only:

**GENERAL CONSTRUCTION - DEMOLITION, CARPENTRY, EARTHWORK, CONCRETE, PAINTING AND MASONRY**

**NAICS Codes:**

- 236220 Commercial and Institutional Building Construction
- 238110 Poured Concrete Foundation and Structure Contractors
- 238130 Framing Contractors
- 238320 Painting and Wall Covering Contractors
- 238910 Site Preparation Contractors
- 238310 Drywall and Insulation Contractors
- 238140 Masonry Contractors

If you wish to expand your status to include another type of business, you must contact the PA UCP for reevaluation prior to undertaking any projects as a DBE in the expanded area.

In the event of a change in circumstances affecting your ability to meet size, disadvantage, ownership, and control requirements of Part 26 or any material change in the information provided in your application form; you must inform the PA UCP by means of a Notice of Change Affidavit describing in detail the nature of such changes.

**Certifying Participants:**

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You must submit a Notice of Change Affidavit (also available online) within 30 days of the occurrence of the change. Failure to do so will be deemed a failure to cooperate. We would also remind you that the PA UCP reserves the right to review your firm at any time to ensure compliance with the program.

We are pleased to have you as a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise and wish you success in acquiring work within the DBE Program. If you have any questions, please contact Gregory H. Myers, Senior DBE Program Specialist at (215) 580-8333.

Sincerely,



Lillie A. Claitt  
Director  
DBE Program Office  
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