

APPENDIX D

AGENCY RESPONSE TO DRAFT REPORT

George E. Pataki, Governor



Linda Angello, Commissioner

August 16, 2005

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Mr. Richard H. Brooks
Regional Inspector General for Audit
US Department of Labor
New York Regional Audit Office
102 Varick Street, Rm. 871
New York, New York 10014

Re: Contract Number C009482 between the New York State Department of
Labor and China Manpower Project, Inc.

Dear Mr. Brooks:

The New York State Department of Labor (Department) has received and reviewed your draft audit report that summarizes the results of your performance audit of Contract Number C009482 between the New York State Department of Labor and China Manpower Project, Inc.

At this time, the Department respectfully declines to comment other than to say that we feel very strongly that overall the program was effective and believe this is evidenced by the fact that your auditors were unable to find any validity to the complaint which was the driving force behind the initiation of this audit. This contract was monitored according to established procedures and the Department stands behind the work of our field program and fiscal staff.

Sincerely,

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