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Reply to New England Region

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Zachary R. Sundquist Assistant Airport Director Portland International Jetport 1001 Westbrook Street Portland, ME 04102

Dear Mr. Sundquist:

This letter is in reference to the Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) fiscal year (FY) 2015 through 2017 program and goal that you submitted for **Portland International Jetport**, Portland, **Maine**. Based on our review, we have determined that the program and goal meet the standards in 49 CFR Part 26, Department of Transportation regulations.

The goal is described as follows:

**FY 15-17** Overall goal: **2.19** % DBE Participation To be obtained through **0.00** % Race-Neutral and **2.19** % Race-Conscious means (Covering the period October 1, 2014 through September 30, 2017)

Portland International Jetport expects to let \$5,720,000.31 in Federally-assisted contracts during the FY15-17 period. Of that figure, the airport anticipates to spend \$57,200.00 on DBE firms.

While this overall goal covers FY15-17, specific project information is forthcoming from Portland International Jetport.

DBE Accomplishments continue to be due annually on December 1 for the previous fiscal year. Accomplishments can be submitted either through our new dbE-Connect system at <a href="https://www.faa.dbeconnect.com/FAA/login.asp">www.faa.dbeconnect.com/FAA/login.asp</a> or by completing the Uniform Report of DBE Awards/Commitments and Payments form and submitting via email to <a href="mailto:thomas.knox@faa.gov">thomas.knox@faa.gov</a>.

If you need a dbE-Connect user account; please contact Thomas Knox at phone (310) 725-3942. Our blank forms can be found at <a href="http://www.faa.gov/about/office\_org/headquarters\_offices/acr/bus\_ent\_program/">http://www.faa.gov/about/office\_org/headquarters\_offices/acr/bus\_ent\_program/</a>.

If you have any questions or need assistance, please call Thomas Knox at (310) 725-3942 or email at thomas.knox@faa.gov.

Sincerely, Land, La

Thomas L. Knox, Jr.

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