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Re: Integrity Commissioner’s Office of the City of Toronto
Report on the Results of Applying Specified Auditing Procedures to
Financial Information Other Than Financial Statements for the Year
Ended December 31, 2010

To the City Manager of the City of Toronto:

This letter has been prepared at the request of Toronto City Council to obtain assurance that expenditures incurred by the Integrity Commissioner’s Office of the City of Toronto (ICO) are in compliance with the applicable policies and procedures, including appropriate exercise of delegated authorities as set by the City of Toronto.

We have performed the auditing procedures as described below. This agreed-upon procedures engagement was performed in accordance with standards published by The Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants. The sufficiency of these policies, procedures and delegated authorities is solely the responsibility of the City of Toronto. Consequently, we make no representation regarding the sufficiency of the City of Toronto policies, procedures and delegated authorities described below.

For the purpose of this letter, the financial information to which the auditing procedures were applied was included within the City of Toronto SAP report, “GL Listing of Cost Elements - January - December 2010” for the ICO. This report is essentially a General Ledger detailing the transactions that have been posted under the cost elements which in turn comprise the scope of the transactions subject to audit. The report was provided directly to us from by staff of the City Clerk's Office.

To clarify, the Quotation Request identified the following Cost Elements to be tested:

1025 Permanent - Overtime SAP
1050 Permanent - Vacation Pay
2010 Stationery and Office Supplies
2020 Books and Magazines
2040 Photo Fax & Print Supplies
2099 Other Office Material
2260 Gasoline
2650 Comp & Printer Supplies
2660 Footware
2790 Presentation Items
2999 Misc Materials
3070 M & E - Info Process
3310 Furnishings
3410 Computers - hardware
3420 Computers - Software
4010 Prof Srv - Legal
4078 Cons Svs Tech
4079 Cons Svs IT
4089 Cons Svs Mgmt/R&D
4091 Cons Svs Ext Lawyers
4093 Cons Svs Creative Communications
4199 Other Prof/Tech Serv
4205 Bus Trav - KM
4210 Bus Trav - Accom
4215 Bus Trav - Air Trans
4220 Bus Trav - Gr Trans
4225 Bus Trav - Pub Trans
4230 Bus Trav - Other Exp
4251 Conf/Semin - KM
4252 Conf/Semin - Accom
We were provided directly from the City Clerk's Office, the Policy Applicability Matrix (Matrix) that linked each Cost Element above with the applicable City of Toronto policies and procedures below:

- Expenses Claim Policies as they relate to Meal Allowance, Business meetings and Professional Memberships and Association Fees
- Conferences, Seminars and Business Travel
- Vacation
- Kilometrage Reimbursement for use of Personal Vehicle for City business
- Lieu time
- Tuition Reimbursement
- Blanket Contract Procedures
- Divisional Purchase Orders (DPOs)
- Long Distance Telephone
- Payment Requisition Procedures
- Petty Cash Policy and Procedures
- Purchasing Card (PCard) Program
- Selection and Hiring of Consulting Services
- Sole Source or Non-Competitive Procurement Procedures

To further clarify, the Quotation Request identified the delegated authorities as follows:

- Chapter 71, Financial Control
- Chapter 195, Purchasing
- Chapter 217, Records, Corporate (City)
- Chapter 257, Signing Authority (spending authority set at the level of a Division Head)

Copies of the above City of Toronto policies and procedures and web-links to the City of Toronto related delegated authorities were provided by the City Clerk's Office.

We selected a statistical sample of transactions to be tested based on the number of entries in each Cost Element and examined those transactions for compliance with the applicable policies and procedures of the Matrix, including appropriate exercise of delegated authorities with underlying supporting documents for adherence to the policies, procedures and delegated authorities noted above.

As a result of applying the above procedures, we found no exceptions to the adherence to the policies, procedures and delegated authorities as they applied to our test sample.
It should be understood that we make no representations as to the sufficiency for your purposes of the procedures as described in the preceding paragraphs. Further we have addressed ourselves solely to the report, which we received directly from staff of the City Clerk's Office of the City of Toronto and make no representations as to whether any material items were omitted. Our procedures do not constitute an audit of the report and therefore we express no opinion on the report.

This letter is provided solely for the purpose of determining compliance with the Section 3-8B of the City of Toronto’s Municipal Code and should not be used for any other purpose.

Any use that a third party makes of this letter, or any reliance or decisions made based on it, are the responsibility of such third party. We accept no responsibility for loss or damages, if any, suffered by any third party as a result of decisions made or actions taken based on this letter.

Yours very truly,

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Appendix

In compliance with section 6.3 b., the following are items set forth in Appendix 3 of the Quotation Request for the year ended December 31, 2010.

List of Annual Sole Source Purchasing Activity

The City Clerk’s Office provided us a list of Annual Sole Source Purchasing Activity incurred by the Accountability Offices which noted there were no transactions incurred by the ICO.

List of Annual Consulting Services Expenditures

During our engagement, we inquired with the City Clerk’s Office on providing a list of Annual Consulting Services Expenditures incurred by the Accountability Offices. The City Clerk’s Office noted there were no transactions incurred by the ICO.