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Dear Valued Respondent,

The Bureau of Labor and Employment Statistics would like to extend its appreciation for your participation and support in our survey entitled "Labor Turnover Survey (LTS)" which was conducted from October to December this year covering the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter of 2005.

As we have mentioned earlier, the survey aims to generate flash indicators on labor turnover (accession rate and separation rate) and job vacancies. These data are considered government-designated statistics (Executive Order 352) critical in monitoring labor market demand and the country's economic performance.

The survey involves the quarterly collection of data from 500 sample enterprises drawn randomly from the 2003 List of Top 3,300 corporations based in Metro-Manila. The questionnaire was designed to collect only the relevant indicators so that respondents can easily accomplish the form and results can be made available promptly to policy makers and other data users.

May we again solicit your kind cooperation and support in accomplishing the LTS questionnaire for the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter of 2006. We have sent **Mr. Benjamin Casuga** of this office to help you in accomplishing the survey form. Please note that the simplified survey form also includes the highlights of the previous survey results.

Should you need further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact **Ms Delia Untalan** or **Ms Jayla Bitudio** through phone/fax/*E-mail* in the numbers/address indicated below.

Thank you and we look forward to your usual cooperation in this statistical undertaking.

Very truly yours,

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