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Dear Dr. Orbeta,

Continued Certification to ISO 9001:2015

Based on the outcome of the first surveillance audit of your QMS on 21-22 March 2023 and our acceptance of your planned correction and corrective action on the single minor non-conformity (SSM-01-S1) reported by this audit, the validity of your ISO 9001:2015 certification is hereby reconfirmed. However, we wish to remind your team that the satisfactory implementation of these planned actions will be verified at the next audit.

Our audit assessed the maintenance of the QMS, its good points and areas of conformity that enable it to address your organization's risks and opportunities as well as support the achievement of your organization's performance objectives and customers' needs and expectations. Please note too the opportunities for improvement cited in the audit report.

We assure CIP's support to your organization's continuing quest for excellence. Best regards.

Very truly yours, CERTIFICATION INTERNATIONAL

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