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Re: Email Correspondence Dated July 28, 2021

Dear Assistant Fire Chief Butler-Hoyos:

This responds to your letter to Acting U.S. Attorney for the Central District of California Tracy Wilkison dated July 28, 2021, in which Los Bomberos de Los Angeles and the Los Angeles City Stentorians request that the United States Attorney's Office investigate alleged public corruption and civil rights violations at the Los Angeles Fire Department. We at the U.S. Attorney's Office appreciate your concerns for the protection of civil rights and of the community from misconduct by public officials, as expressed in your letter. Our office is carefully reviewing the allegations contained in your letter.

In the interim, please do not hesitate to contact us at (213) 894-2879, USACAC.CV-CivilRights@usdoj.gov, or the above address with any additional information that you wish us to consider.

Very truly yours,

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