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Mr. Jack Meiss, President AFGE 2 723 P. O. Box 62408 Sunnyvale, CA 94088 Case Number: 530-6012707 LM Number: 503847

Dear Mr. Meiss:

This office has recently completed an audit of AFGE Local 2723 under the Compliance Audit Program (CAP) to determine your organization's compliance with the provisions of the Civil Service Reform Act of 1978 (CSRA), 5 U.S.C. 7120, and the Department's regulations, 29 CFR 458. As discussed during the exit interview with you and Vice-President Robert Heard on March 12, 2018, the following problem was disclosed during the CAP. The matter listed below is not an exhaustive list of all possible problem areas since the audit conducted was limited in scope.

Reporting Violation

Pursuant to 29 C.F.R., Section 458.3, the reporting requirement under 29 C.F.R. Section 403.2 (see Section 201(b) of the Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act (LMRDA)) is made applicable to labor organizations subject to the requirements of the CSRA. This provision requires labor organizations to file annual financial reports that accurately disclose their financial condition and operations. The audit disclosed a violation of this requirement. The Labor Organization Annual Report Form LM-3 filed by AFGE Local 2723 for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2016 was deficient in that or deficient in the following area:

Failure to File Bylaws

Pursuant to 29 C.F.R. Section 458.3, the requirement under 29 C.F.R. Section 402.4 implementing LMRDA Section 201(a) is made applicable to labor organizations subject to the requirements of the CSRA. This provision requires labor organizations to file copies of any revised constitution and bylaws when it files its annual financial report. The audit disclosed a violation of this requirement. AFGE Local 2723 amended its constitution and bylaws in 1999, but did not file the required copies with its LM report.

Local 2723 has now filed a copy of its constitution and bylaws.

I want to extend my personal appreciation to AFGE Local 2723 for the cooperation and courtesy extended during this compliance audit. I strongly recommend that you make sure this letter and the compliance assistance materials provided to you are passed on to future officers. If we can provide any additional assistance, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

Investigator