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December 13, 2005

Ms. Pat Haught, Secretary-Treasurer
AFGE Local 908
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Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri 65473

Dear Ms. Haught:

This office has recently completed an audit of AFGE Local 908 under the Compliance Audit Program (CAP) to determine your organization's compliance with the provisions of the Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act of 1959 (LMRDA). As discussed during the exit interview with William Logue on December 8, 2005, the following problems were disclosed during the CAP. The matters listed below are not an exhaustive list of all possible problem areas since the audit conducted was limited in scope.


The CAP disclosed a violation of LMRDA Section 201(a) that requires unions to submit a copy of their current constitution and bylaws with its LM report when changes or amendments are made. Local 908 amended its constitution and bylaws, but a copy was not filed with the Department of Labor, Office of Labor Management Standards. A copy of your current bylaws was supplied during the audit and no further action is required.

The audit also revealed a violation of LMRDA Section 502. This section requires all union officers and employees to be bonded for at least 10% of the total funds handled during the preceding fiscal year. Local 908 is currently bonded for \$5,000; however, they should be bonded for at least \$10,379. During the exit interview, you agreed to obtain the increased bond necessary through your International Union. Please provide proof of bonding coverage to this office as soon as adequate coverage has been obtained. Upon receipt of the new bond as required, this matter will be resolved.

I want to thank you for your cooperation and courtesy during this compliance audit. If we can be of any assistance in the future, please do not hesitate to contact me or any other representative of our office.

Sincerely,

Dennis L. Eckert
District Director


Investigator

cc: William Logue, President