The President
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500-0000

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Respectfully,

Phyllis K. Fong
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cc: (w/enclosure)
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The Honorable Elijah Cummings  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Oversight and  
   Government Reform  
U.S. House of Representatives  
2157 Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20515-6143  

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Identical letter sent to:  
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The Honorable Susan M. Collins  
The Honorable Joseph I. Lieberman
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December 14, 2012

The Honorable Phyllis Fong  
Chairperson, Council of the Inspectors General for Integrity and Efficiency  
1717 H Street, NW, Suite 825  
Washington, D.C. 20006-3900

Dear Ms. Fong,

This letter provides the annual report to Congress and the President required by section 11(d) (9) of the Inspector General Reform Act of 2008 (IG Reform Act).

The IG Reform Act directs the Integrity Committee (IC) to address transparency and reporting issues relating to complaints about Inspectors General and their designated employees. To further these purposes, the IC submits the following information concerning the allegations it received and addressed during Fiscal Year 2012 (FY12).

44 Total number of allegations received.  
0 Number of allegations referred for criminal investigation.  
3 Number of allegations currently in a pending administrative investigation status.  
8 Number of allegations currently in a pending (non investigative) status.  
25 Number of allegations which did not meet the IC’s intake threshold and referred to federal agencies for any action deemed appropriate.  
8 Number of allegations reviewed and closed without referral.

The opening and closing date for each IC allegation listed above is attached. Also enclosed is a summary of the IC administrative investigation completed during FY12.
The Honorable Phyllis Fong

The attached enclosures provide additional information for dissemination to Congress and the President. Please contact Supervisory Special Agent David Hanzal, IC Program Manager, with any questions at 202-324-3851.

Sincerely,

Valerie Parlave,
Acting Chair

Enclosures (2)
Council of the Inspectors General on Integrity and Efficiency (CIGIE)
Integrity Committee
FY 2012
(10/01/2011 - 09/30/2012)

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Enclosure 1
IC653: Summary and background pertaining to the Report of Investigation submitted October 2012.¹

In May 2011, the Department of Justice Office of Inspector General conducted an administrative investigation into allegations the Federal Communications Commission Inspector General and Assistant Inspector General for Management impeded the audit of a federal program. In July 2012 the DOJ-OIG provided their Report of Investigation to the IC which did not substantiate the initial allegations the IG and AIGI for Management impeded a federal audit. After the IC reviewed the report, the IC accepted and adopted the findings and conclusions of the DOJ-OIG report. This was reported to Congressional committees with jurisdiction by letter in October 2012.

¹ The allegation was made during FY'11, but the investigation was completed in FY'12.