



Metropolitan Transportation Authority

State of New York

December 30, 2016

Mr. Darrell Higueros, President
Next Generation, Inc.
155 North Wacker - Suite 450
Chicago, IL 60606

Re: **DBE CERTIFICATION ANNUAL REVIEW NOTICE**

Dear Mr. Higueros:

The Metropolitan Transportation Authority (MTA), a Certifying Partner in the New York State Unified Certification Program (NYSUCP), has completed its review of the Affidavit of Change and supporting documentation submitted on behalf of your firm, **Next Generation, Inc.**, in fulfillment of its annual submission requirement. We are pleased to advise you that your firm continues to meet the eligibility criteria established by the U.S. Department of Transportation Disadvantaged Business Enterprises regulation, codified at 49 CFR, Part 26 and remains **CERTIFIED** as a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) with the MTA and the NYSUCP providing the services listed below:

COMPUTER HARDWARE CONSULTING SERVICES COMPUTER SOFTWARE CONSULTING SERVICES TECHNOLOGY SOFTWARE RESELLER

Your firm's certification status with the NYSUCP will remain effective for as long as your firm continues to meet all DBE certification eligibility requirements and the ownership and control of the firm upon which DBE certification was granted, has not changed. However, your firm's compliance with DBE certification eligibility criteria will be reviewed on an annual basis.

You are required to submit, a sworn affidavit affirming that there have been no changes in your firm's economic disadvantaged status, ownership or control. In the event that there are changes, you must notify the MTA, within 30 days, of any changes in your business' ownership, control and/or operations, including address, telephone number, business services and capabilities. Failure to adhere to these requirements may result in the removal of DBE certification. Your firm's next annual submission will be due on or before November 30, 2017

The agencies of the MTA

MTA New York City Transit
MTA Long Island Rail Road

MTA Metro-North Railroad
MTA Bridges and Tunnels

MTA Capital Construction
MTA Bus Company

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Your firm will be included in the NYSUCP Directory which is located at <https://nysucp.newnycontracts.com>. The directory will indicate the type of work that your firm has been certified to perform.

Please note that any of the Certifying Partners of the NYSUCP reserves the right to review your firm's certification eligibility prior to the firm's participation on a federally assisted project for their agency or at any time that it is determined that such re-evaluation is warranted.

We are pleased to have you as a participant in the NYSUCP and wish you much success.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please call me at (646) 252-1378.

Sincerely,



Ron McCune, Assistant Director
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Department of Diversity and Civil Rights

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