IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

VS.

THE CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE,

No. CIV. 14-1025 JB\SMV

Defendant,

vs.

THE ALBUQUERQUE POLICE OFFICERS' ASSOCIATION,

Intervenor.

JOINT NOTICE REGARDING THE EFIT BACKLOG TEAM

Plaintiff United States of America and Defendant the City of Albuquerque (collectively, "the Parties") submit this Notice pursuant to Paragraph 8 of the Amended Stipulated Order Establishing an External Force Investigation Team (EFIT). Doc. 906. The Parties hereby advise the Court that EFIT has constituted the Backlog Team to investigate Backlog Force Cases; the Backlog Team completed training on June 17, 2022 and began investigating Backlog Force Cases on June 20, 2022. EFIT is assigning Backlog Force Cases for investigation based on a protocol that EFIT developed with the input of the Parties and the Independent Monitor. Doc. 912-1, EFIT Backlog Methodology, at 81–85. EFIT will file its Fourth Quarterly Report on August 16, 2022. The Parties anticipate thereafter requesting a Status Conference to report on progress.

Respectfully submitted this 23rd day of June 2022,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on June 23, 2022, I filed the foregoing pleading electronically through the CM/ECF system which caused all parties or counsel and the Independent Monitor to be served by electronic means as more fully reflected on the Notice of Electronic Filing.

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