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MEMORANDUM FOR: Robert Santos
Director
U.S. Census Bureau

FROM: Arthur L. Scott, Jr.
Assistant Inspector General for Audit and Evaluation

SUBJECT: Audit of the U.S. Census Bureau's 2020 Post-Enumeration Survey Results (#2023-456)

We are initiating an audit of the U.S. Census Bureau's 2020 Post-Enumeration Survey (PES). Our objective is to assess the validity of the 2020 PES results as they relate to overcounts and undercounts.

We plan to begin this work immediately. We will contact your office to schedule an entrance conference, at which time we will discuss in further detail the specific nature of our audit—including our objective and scope, time frames, and any potential data needs. If you have any questions about this audit, please contact me at (202) 577-9547 or Terry Storms, Division Director, at (202) 570-6903.

We thank you in advance for your cooperation during this effort.

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