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Dear [NAME]

We are writing to request your participation in an important research survey sponsored by the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS). This study will help us to improve our programs and services for citizenship applicants.

This survey is completely voluntary and whether or not you decide to participate will not affect yours or anyone's citizenship or application status. Although your participation is voluntary, it is important that we hear from you because only you can tell us about your unique experience as a newly naturalized citizen.

Your participation in this study and the responses you provide are kept completely private. We will keep your answers separate from your identifying information and we will not identify you in any reports on this study. Also, you may choose to skip any question you do not want to answer and you may stop the interview at any time.

We hope that you will take a few minutes to help us with this important research. An interviewer from our survey company, Abt SRBI, will call within the next few days to ask you to participate in a phone interview that will take about 25 minutes of your time. The survey will collect information on topics such as your experiences in going through the process to become a citizen, the reasons why you decided to become a citizen, your experience coming to the United States, your background, etc. This will help USCIS better understand the experiences of newly naturalized citizens so that we can provide the best possible services.

If you would like to schedule an appointment for an interview, or if you would just like to learn more about the study, please call Abt SRBI toll-free at [FILL] and give them the reference number [FILL]. If you complete the interview and then you decide you would like to be removed from the study, you may contact Abt SRBI by email [FILL IN], by phone [FILL IN], or send a written letter mailed to: Abt SRBI, Inc... Attn: [FILL IN].

It is very important for the study to include the views of those who speak languages other than English, and we have interviewers available who speak languages other than English. Please just let us know your preference.

If you have any other questions, you may also contact [FILL] at USCIS by email [FILL IN], by phone [FILL IN], or send a written letter mailed to: Abt SRBI, Inc. Attn: [FILL IN].

We thank you in advance for considering to participate and we look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,