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Dear Employer:

Abt Associates is a research firm under contract to conduct the 2023 Survey of Respirator Use and Practices (SRUP) on behalf of the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH). Our job is to administer the survey and provide the aggregate results to NIOSH.

Your company has been selected to participate in the 2023 SRUP. Your company may have also received an email about completing this survey. Only one survey needs to be filled out for your company.

Complete the survey by {DATE} online at {URL} or use the QR code to access the survey website. Once you are at the website, enter your PIN as it appears below. Then follow the instructions on the screen to begin the survey.

PIN: {PIN} {QR CODE}

The online survey is optimized so that it can be completed using a mobile device. If you do not have access to the internet or want to take the survey by phone, call us toll-free at XXX-XXX and provide your PIN: {PIN}. You can call from 9:00 am to midnight ET.

Who should complete this survey? Someone knowledgeable about the use of respirators by employees in your company should complete the survey. If you think someone else in your company knows more about respirator usage than you do, please pass the survey instructions on to them. Complete this survey even if no workers at your company use respirators.

Note: You may log onto the survey website using your PIN at any time during the collection period to make corrections to your data.

Is this part of an enforcement effort? NO. This survey is conducted for research and development purposes regarding NIOSH's respirator approval program only. Participation by your company is voluntary and results will **not** be used in any type of enforcement activity. All responses will remain confidential and will only be used for statistical purposes.

If you have questions, please contact our Survey Manager {NAME} at {PHONE NUMBER} or send an email to <u>email@abtassoc.com</u>. If you would like to contact someone at NIOSH, please email <u>ODAdmin@cdc.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

Jodi Walton Abt Survey Lead XXX-XXX-XXXX