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Dear Registrant,

The Automation of Reports and Consolidated Orders System (ARCOS) has been modified to permit ARCOS reporters to log on, complete, and submit ARCOS transaction reports via the ARCOS On-Line Reporting System. This new capability will be made available to ARCOS EDI participants as of November 1, 2015. Current reporters using DEA Form 333 must request an ARCOS EDI account to obtain access to the new on-line reporting system. This reporting system is free of charge and compatible with any browser supported operating system (Internet Explorer™, Firefox™, etc.).

The on-line reporting system will eventually replace the ARCOS PC Field Edit application presently in use. Current users of the PC Field Edit application may continue using the software; however, the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) will no longer make improvements to this application. Support for the existing PC Field Edit application will be phased out as DEA registrants transition to the new ARCOS On-line Reporting System.

To access the new on-line reporting system, go to DEA's Office of Diversion Control homepage (www.DEAdiversion.usdoj.gov), under "Reporting," select "ARCOS." You will see a link to "ARCOS On-Line."

As a reminder, all DEA registrants who manufacture and distribute specific controlled substances pursuant to 21 C.F.R. § 1304.33 are required to report to ARCOS. This letter is only a notification of a new reporting system. Please address questions to the ARCOS Unit at 202-307-8600 or by e-mail to ARCOS_Unit@usdoj.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Erika Gehrman".

Erika Gehrman, Chief
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