



# SUPLEE, CLOONEY & COMPANY

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

308 East Broad Street, Westfield, New Jersey 07090-2122

Telephone 908-789-9300 Fax 908-789-8535

E-mail [info@scnco.com](mailto:info@scnco.com)

## REPORT ON THE FIRM'S SYSTEM OF QUALITY CONTROL

July 25, 2022

To the Owner of Lerch, Vinci & Bliss, LLP and the Peer Review Committee of the New Jersey Society of CPAs:

We have reviewed the system of quality control for the accounting and auditing practice of Lerch, Vinci & Bliss, LLP (the firm) in effect for the year ended September 30, 2021. Our peer review was conducted in accordance with the Standards for Performing and Reporting on Peer Reviews established by the Peer Review Board of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (Standards).

A summary of the nature, objectives, scope, limitations of, and the procedures performed in a System Review as described in the Standards may be found at [www.aicpa.org/prsummary](http://www.aicpa.org/prsummary). The summary also includes an explanation of how engagements identified as not performed or reported in conformity with applicable professional standards, if any, are evaluated by a peer reviewer to determine a peer review rating.

### ***Firm's Responsibility***

The firm is responsible for designing a system of quality control and complying with it to provide the firm with reasonable assurance of performing and reporting in conformity with applicable professional standards in all material respects. The firm is also responsible for evaluating actions to promptly remediate engagements deemed as not performed or reported in conformity with professional standards, when appropriate, and for remediating weaknesses in its system of quality control, if any.

### ***Peer Reviewer's Responsibility***

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the design of and compliance with the firm's system of quality control based on our review.

### ***Required Selections and Considerations***

Engagement selected for review included (an engagement performed under *Government Auditing Standards* including a compliance audit under the Single Audit Act).

As part of our peer review, we considered reviews by regulatory entities as communicated by the firm, if applicable, in determining the nature and extent of our procedures.

SUPLEE, CLOONEY & COMPANY

-2-

**Opinion**

In our opinion, the system of quality control for the accounting and auditing practice of Lerch, Vinci & Bliss, LLP in effect for the year ended September 30, 2021 has been suitably designed and complied with to provide the firm with reasonable assurance of performing and reporting in conformity with applicable professional standards in all material respects. Firms can receive a rating of *pass*, *pass with deficiency(ies)*, or *fail*. Lerch, Vinci & Bliss, LLP has received a peer review rating of *pass*.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Suplee, Clooney & Company". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

SUPLEE, CLOONEY & COMPANY