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**Notice of NIJ-approved Laboratory Status**

Laboratory: Oregon Ballistic Laboratories, LLC

Scope: NIJ 0101.06, Ballistic Resistance of Body Armor, Section 7, Ballistic Test  
Methods

NIJ 0101.06, Ballistic Resistance of Body Armor, Section 6, Hard Armor  
Conditioning Protocol

NIJ 0101.06, Ballistic Resistance of Body Armor, Section 5, Flexible Armor  
Conditioning Protocol

Expiration: **April 30, 2022**

Dear Mr. Bertsch:

The National Institute of Justice (NIJ) has completed its review of your application for continued participation in the NIJ Compliance Testing Program (CTP). We hereby inform you that your laboratory will continue to be recognized on NIJ's list of approved laboratories, which is made available at [www.justnet.org](http://www.justnet.org). As an NIJ-approved laboratory, you are authorized to conduct compliance testing of ballistic-resistant body armor and stab-resistant body armor in accordance with the standards listed above. All terms and conditions noted in your signed Compliance Testing Program Laboratory Application and Agreement are in effect and will remain so unless otherwise modified in writing by NIJ.

Any questions regarding your laboratory status as it pertains to the NIJ CTP should be directed to the Criminal Justice Testing and Evaluation Consortium by telephone at 984-439-5241 or by email at [bactp@justnet.org](mailto:bactp@justnet.org), or to me by telephone at 202-307-3384 or by email at [mark.greene2@usdoj.gov](mailto:mark.greene2@usdoj.gov).

Sincerely,

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