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TO: MTA BOARD MEMBERS, ALTERNATES

FROM: JIM SMART 

SUBJECT: ANOTHER ARTICLE IN THE DAILY NEWS

The Daily News inquired late today regarding allegations of racial and sexual harassment against Tutor-Saliba employees. As you know, we normally employ Coopers and Lybrand to review and investigate labor compliance requirements and allegations of misconduct by our contractors. In this case, however, our EEO department has decided not to use this firm.

The reporter alleged that a representative of Coopers and Lybrand complained to him that MTA officials ordered the firm to halt an investigation of these racial and sexual harassment claims. An official with our EEO office, however, denied the allegation and said that we intend to shift responsibility for any investigation regarding such claims to another auditing firm.