SECRETARY OF THE ARMY
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To the Employees of our Army Audit Agency

Congratulations on your top finish in "The Best Places to Work in the Federal Government" competition. Finishing 1st among the 292 Federal subcomponents that competed in FY 2012 is quite impressive. It adds further to your stellar performance in FYs 2010 and 2011 during which you finished 2nd of over 200 competing subcomponents in each of those years. Your score in FY 2012 (85.4) is also the highest not only for your subcomponent category but also for all four categories in the competition (including large, medium, and small agencies). Your accomplishments are great news for the Army, and we are inspired by your sustained record of exceptional performance.

I am thrilled to see you recognized for your distinguished service to our country. Your professionalism and dedication to duty are noteworthy, and your leadership and commitment have been essential in helping the Army carry out its responsibilities. And, it's clear also that you make a formidable team. With those qualities, you stand as a stalwart example of success for our Army organizations and the rest of the Federal Government.

Thank you for all that you have done to help our Soldiers, their Families, and our Army confront the challenges we face around the world. You have established a high standard of excellence, and I am proud to serve on the Army team with you.

Sincerely,

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