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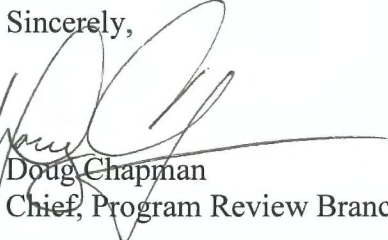
Robert Feldman  
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Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation  
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Dear Mr. Feldman:

As a result of its inspection of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) ethics program, the Office of Government Ethics (OGE) issued one recommendation in its September 2018 inspection report. OGE conducted a follow-up review to assess whether FDIC has taken sufficient action to resolve the deficiencies underlying this recommendation. The results of the follow-up review are summarized below.

	Recommendation	Agency Action and OGE Finding	Status
1	Ensure that all confidential filers receive annual ethics training.	FDIC began offering live training sessions, including videoconferencing, to all of its regional offices in 2018. Employees in regional and field offices could also attend regional and field classroom ethics training, or connect to those training sessions live via web-based meeting software. Any employee not able to participate in live training completed an interactive web-based training.  FDIC's confidential filer training completion improved from 47% during 2017 to over 99% during 2018.	Closed

I appreciate the courtesies extended to the OGE program review staff. If you would like to discuss the report, please contact me at 202-482-9223.

Sincerely,  
  
Doug Chapman  
Chief, Program Review Branch

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