

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT P.O. BOX 389, TRENTON, NEW JERSEY 08625-0389

April 3, 2024

Anthony Giorno, Owner and Individually, and Politti Contracting Corp 2820 Route 130 N Cinnaminson NJ 08075 Re: GE-133-0324-BUL

Dear Anthony Giorno:

On March 5, 2024, the Wage and Hour Division and Contract Compliance conducted an inspection of your firm. It has been determined you are in violation of Title 34 which provides that any person who violates any provision of the New Jersey Wage and Hour Law or regulations may be prosecuted, fined, and/or penalized. In addition, the Commissioner of Labor and Workforce Development has the authority to assess administrative fees based on the amount of back wages, liquidated damages, and misclassification penalty assessed. As a result of our inspection, you may be liable for a Penalty or both a Penalty and Administrative Fee.

Under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 34:11-4.1, an employer is any individual, partnership, association, joint stock company, trust, corporation, the administrator or executor of the estate of a deceased individual, or the receiver, trustee, or successor of any of the same, employing any person in this State. For the purposes of this act, the officers of a corporation and any agents having the management of such corporation shall be deemed to be the employers of the employees of the corporation.

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Administrative Fee: If back wages, liquidated damages or misclassification penalty are assessed, an administrative fee is due. The fee is equal to a percentage of total monies due employees and is based on your history of violations: 10% for the first violation, 18% for the second violation, and 25% for the third and subsequent violations.

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