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Honorable Adrienne Adams
Speaker, New York City Council
City Hall
New York, NY 10007

Dear Speaker Adams:

Attached, please find a copy of the Lead Abatement and Remediation report, pursuant to Local Law 112 of 2023.

If you have further questions, please do not hesitate to contact Maura Kennelly, Deputy Commissioner for External Affairs, at (347) 396-4279 or mkennell@health.nyc.gov.

Sincerely,

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Local Law 112 of 2023 in relation to reporting on objections to orders for the abatement or remediation of lead conditions, January 1, 2025 through June 30, 2025

Prepared by the NYC Department of Health and Mental Hygiene

The New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene (Health Department) submits this report pursuant to Local Law 112 of 2023, which requires the Department to report biannually on the number of objections to Health Department Orders for lead abatement or remediation received by the Health Department pursuant to paragraph 3 of subdivision d of section 173.13 of the health code. The report must include the number of such objections received from a housing development operated by the New York City Housing Authority (NYCHA), and the number of orders withdrawn in full by the Health Department, disaggregated by the following reasons: faulty paint sampling or testing by the Health Department; inconclusive or contradicting test results; and exemptions due to the date a tested dwelling was erected.

For the period January 1, 2025 through June 30, 2025:

- Number of objections received: 69
 - Housing operated by NYCHA: 25
 - Housing not operated by NYCHA: 44

Number of these objections that were withdrawn in full by the Health Department, with reason withdrawn:

- Number Withdrawn: 21
- Faulty paint sampling or testing by the Health Department: 0
- Inconclusive or contradicting test results: 21
- Exemptions due to the date a tested dwelling was erected: 0