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Dear Mr. Melgarejo:

Pursuant to Executive Order 2014-18, the Nevada Procurement Technical Assistance Center (PTAC), Procurement Outreach Program (POP) has evaluated known data sources in order to determine the number of verified service-disabled veteran-owned small businesses (SDVOSB) and veteran-owned small businesses (VOSB) in Nevada. The data sources are:

- <http://www.va.gov/osdbu/> -- U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA), Office of Small & Disadvantaged Business Utilization (OSDBU) Center for Verification and Evaluation (CVE)
- dsbs.sba.gov -- U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) Dynamic Small Business Search (DSBS)

The businesses verified through CVE and therefore qualified for VA contract set-asides are a subset of the self-reported SDVOSB and VOSB businesses in the DSBS database.

Mar 2016	CVE – VA	DSBS – SBA
Nevada SDVOSB	49	159
Nevada VOSB	16	273
Total	65	432

This report shall be furnished to the Interagency Council on Veteran Affairs on a quarterly basis in the same months as when the Nevada PTAC, POP conducts its quarterly training program for Nevada businesses. If you have questions or would like additional information, please contact me at (702) 486-0586 or jrueben@diversifynevada.com.

Respectfully,



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