

January 23, 2013

Ms. Stephanie Tollenaere Director Project Management Services 1060 Veteran Avenue Los Angeles, CA 90095-1365

Re: University of California Seismic Rating for Pauley Pavilion

Dear Stephanie:

The renovation of Pauley Pavilion on the campus of the University of California at Los Angeles was completed in the fall of 2012. Nabih Youssef & Associates (NYA) was the structural engineer of record on the project. The renovation included seismic strengthening of the structure in compliance with the seismic provisions of the 2007 edition of the California Building Code for new buildings. Existing structural elements were strengthened, as required, to satisfy life safety performance with BSE-1 Hazard Level (475-year return period earthquake ground motion).

Thus, per the University of California Seismic Safety Policy, the expected earthquake performance of Pauley Pavilion corresponds to a seismic rating of "III" ("Good").

Sincerely,

**NABIH YOUSSEF & ASSOCIATES** 

Nabih Youssef, S.E.

Principal

cc: N. Youssef; File 07333.01