Princeton, New Jersey

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE TO AMERICAN SCHOOLS AND HOSPITALS ABROAD GRANT (ASHA)

PROGRAM SPECIFIC AUDIT

For the Period October 1, 2018 Through September 30, 2022



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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Board of Directors The Frances and Henry Riecken Foundation, Inc. Princeton, New Jersey

Report on the Audit of the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards

Opinion

We have audited the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards for the U.S. Agency for International Development Foreign Assistance to American Schools and Hospitals Abroad program of The Frances and Henry Riecken Foundation, Inc. (the Organization) for the period October 1, 2018 through September 30, 2022 and the related notes (the Schedule).

In our opinion, the Schedule referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the expenditures of federal awards for the U.S. Agency for International Development Foreign Assistance to American Schools and Hospitals Abroad program of The Frances and Henry Riecken Foundation, Inc. for the period October 1, 2018 through September 30, 2022, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS); the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States (*Government Auditing Standards*); and the audit requirements of Title 2 *U.S. Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Our responsibilities under those standards and the Uniform Guidance are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Schedule section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Organization and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Responsibilities of Management for the Schedule

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the Schedule in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of a Schedule that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Schedule

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the Schedule as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS, *Government Auditing Standards*, and the Uniform Guidance will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the Schedule.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, *Government Auditing Standards*, and the Uniform Guidance, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the Schedule, whether due to fraud, or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the Schedule.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit
 procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an
 opinion on the effectiveness of the Organization's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion
 is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the Schedule.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

Respectfully submitted,

Insero & Co. CPAs, LLP Certified Public Accountants

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Ithaca, New York May 23, 2023



INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

Board of Directors The Frances and Henry Riecken Foundation, Inc. Princeton, New Jersey

We have performed a program-specific audit, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS) and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States (*Government Auditing Standards*), of the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards for the U.S. Agency for International Development Foreign Assistance to American Schools and Hospitals Abroad program of The Frances and Henry Riecken Foundation, Inc. (the Organization) for the period October 1, 2018, through September 30, 2022, and the related notes (the Schedule), and have issued our report thereon dated May 23, 2023.

Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the Schedule, we considered the Organization's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the Schedule, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Organization's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Organization's internal control.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses.

Report on Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Organization's Schedule is free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the Schedule. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Purpose of This Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the Organization's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Organization's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

Insero & Co. CPAs, LLP Certified Public Accountants

nseror G. CPA, LUP

Ithaca, New York May 23, 2023



INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR A FEDERAL PROGRAM AND REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE WHEN USING THE PROGRAM-SPECIFIC AUDIT OPTION TO SATISFY UNIFORM GUIDANCE AUDIT REQUIREMENTS

Board of Directors
The Frances and Henry Riecken Foundation, Inc.
Princeton, New Jersey

Report on Compliance for U.S. Agency for International Development Foreign Assistance to American Schools and Hospitals Abroad (ASHA)

Opinion on Compliance for the ASHA Program

We have audited the U.S. Foundation of The Frances and Henry Riecken Foundation Inc.'s (the Organization) compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *OMB Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on its ASHA program for the period October 1, 2018 through September 30, 2022.

In our opinion, the Organization complied, in all material respects, with the compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on its ASHA program for the period October 1, 2018 through September 30, 2022.

Basis for Opinion on the ASHA Program

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS); the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States (Government Auditing Standards); and the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Award (Uniform Guidance). Our responsibilities under those standards and the Uniform Guidance are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

We are required to be independent of the Organization and to meet our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion on compliance for the ASHA program. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Organization's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above.

Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements referred to above and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, statutes, regulations, rules and provisions of contracts, or grant agreements applicable to the ASHA program.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether material noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above occurred, whether due to fraud or error, and express an opinion on the Organization's compliance based on our audit. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS, *Government Auditing Standards*, and the Uniform Guidance will always detect material noncompliance when it exists. The risk of not detecting material noncompliance resulting from fraud is higher than for that resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above is considered material, if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, it would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user of the report on compliance about the Organization's compliance with the requirements of the federal program as a whole.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, *Government Auditing Standards*, and the Uniform Guidance, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material noncompliance whether due to fraud or error and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the Organization's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.
- Obtain an understanding of the Organization's internal control over compliance relevant to the
 audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances and to test and
 report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, but not for
 the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Organization's internal control
 over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, and any significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in internal control over compliance that we identified during the audit.

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A material weakness in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses as defined above. However, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance may exist that were not identified.

Our audit was not designed for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Uniform Guidance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

Insero & Co. CPAs, LLP Certified Public Accountants

Inseror Co. CPA, LUP

Ithaca, New York May 23, 2023

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SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE PERIOD OCTOBER 1, 2018 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

Federal Grantor/ Program Title	Federal ALN #	Passed - Through Grantor #	Passed T	0	 al Federal penditures
U.S. Agency for International Development					
Direct Program:					
Foreign Assistance to American Schools and Hospitals					
Abroad (ASHA) - AID-ASHA-G-17-00001	98.006	N/A	\$	-	\$ 235,407
Foreign Assistance to American Schools and Hospitals					
Abroad (ASHA) - AID-ASHA-G-17-00009	98.006	N/A			 294,975
Total Expenditures of Federal Awards			\$		\$ 530,382

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NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE PERIOD OCTOBER 1, 2018 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

Note 1 Basis of Presentation

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards (the Schedule) presents the federal award activity of The Frances and Henry Riecken Foundation, Inc. (the Organization) under programs of the federal government for the period October 1, 2018 through September 30, 2022. The information in the Schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance). Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of the operations of the Organization, it is not intended to, and does not, present the financial position or changes in net assets of the Organization.

Note 2 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The basis of accounting varies by federal program consistent with the underlying regulations pertaining to each program. The information is presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance).

Note 3 Indirect Costs

Indirect costs are included in the reported expenditures to the extent they are included in the federal financial reports used as the source for the data presented. The Organization has elected not to use the 10% de minimis indirect cost rate allowed under Uniform Guidance.

FOREIGN ASSISTANCE TO AMERICAN SCHOOLS AND HOSPITALS ABROAD (ASHA) PROGRAM SPECIFIC AUDIT SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE PERIOD OCTOBER 1, 2018 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

Section I Summary of Auditors' Results:

Financial Statements				
Type of auditors' report issued:		Unmodified		
Internal control over financial repo	rting:			
Material weakness(es) identifie	Material weakness(es) identified?			
<u> </u>	Significant deficiency(ies) identified that are not considered to be material weakness(es)?			
Noncompliance material to fina	Noncompliance material to financial statements noted?			
Federal Awards				
Internal control over major program	ms:			
Material weakness(es) identifie	Material weakness(es) identified?			
- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Significant deficiency(ies) identified that are not considered to be material weakness(es)?			
Type of auditors' report issued on	compliance for major programs:	Unmodified		
Any audit findings disclosed that are in accordance with §510(a) of United States (States of Control of United States of Control		yesx no		
Identification of major programs:				
ALN Numbers	Name of Federal Program or Clus	ter		
98.006	Foreign Assistance to American S	chools and Hospitals Abroad (ASHA)		
Dollar threshold used to distinguish Type A and Type B Programs:	n between	\$ <u>750,000</u>		
Auditee qualified as low-risk?		yesx_ no		
Section II - Financial Statement Findings:		None		
Section III - Uniform Guidance Findings:		None		

SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

None.

CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

None.