## SECRETARY OF LABOR WASHINGTON, D.C. 20210

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Marianne Bloomberg CHRO SIMCO Electronics 3131 Jay Street Santa Clara, CA 95054

Dear Marianne Bloomberg:

On behalf of myself and the U.S. Department of Labor, I want to thank you for SIMCO Electronics's exemplary efforts to recruit, employ, and retain our nation's veterans, and I want to congratulate you on earning the 2023 Gold HIRE Vets Medallion Award.

The HIRE Vets Medallion Program is authorized by Division O of Public Law 115-31, the Honoring Investments in Recruiting and Employing American Military Veterans Act of 2017 (HIRE Vets Act). It is the only veteran employment award at the federal level. By meeting the criteria for a 2023 Gold Award, you have shown that you not only honor our veterans, you recognize the value veterans bring to the workplace and you support their success in America's workforce.

I encourage you to take advantage of this important annual program again, and I look forward to working with you in support of our nation's veterans in the years ahead.

Congratulations once again.

Sincerely,

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Acting Secretary of Labor

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