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To: Pelay, Juan M. (WASD)
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If you have any additional questions, feel free to contact me.

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I would just like to request some advice or guidance as to how to handle this.

Thank you for your assistance.

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