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Office of Rent Administration  
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This is in response to your inquiry of January 30, 2009; requesting an opinion letter regarding the proper renewal rates to be used for garage renewal leases under RGBO #40.

Please note that the issues you raise do not necessitate the preparation of a new opinion letter. However, we can provide you with a previously issued redacted opinion letter on this topic.

I hope this addresses your concerns.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "B Falbo". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal flourish above the name.

Bruce Falbo  
Bureau Chief  
Rent Information Bureau

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Enclosure