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AS PRINCIPAL INSPECTOR GENERAL FOR INVESTIGATIONS, **MS. MCVICKER** oversees OIG's Office of Investigations, comprised of criminal and general investigators who conduct criminal, civil, and administrative investigations of fraud and a variety of other allegations that affect DOT, its Operating Administrations, programs, and grantees. The Office of Investigation's top priorities involve crimes with a public-safety impact, procurement- and grant-fraud schemes that have a significant impact on DOT funds, consumer and workforce fraud, and employee integrity violations.

Ms. McVicker began her law enforcement career as an OIG Special Agent in Lakewood, Colorado. Over the past 2 decades, she has investigated fraud, waste, and abuse in a range of Department programs, including those involving disadvantaged business enterprises, multimillion-dollar construction contracts, commercial drivers' license testing, and pipeline and hazardous materials investigations. She previously served as Special Agent-in-Charge for OIG's Chicago regional office, overseeing 11 States and 14 Special Agents and other investigative staff. Her team focused on criminal, civil, and administrative cases involving DOT funds and programs.

She has also helped OIG develop outstanding partnerships with other investigative agencies. She served as a member of a multi-agency public corruption task force formed in 2012 that included Federal, State, and local law enforcement partners. She has presented numerous contract fraud prevention and awareness and hazardous materials briefings to DOT stakeholders as well as Federal and State law enforcement agencies and industry officials. For 12 years, she has served as an associate instructor for the Pipeline Safety Regulation Application and Compliance Procedures Course in Oklahoma City. She has been recognized through multiple awards, including OIG's Meritorious Service and Leadership Awards.

Ms. McVicker holds a B.S. in criminal justice from Illinois State University.