## CONTRACTOR PAYS OVER \$74,000 TO RESOLVE CONTRACT BILLING ISSUES

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A civil settlement agreement was finalized between the United States Department of Justice and an Amtrak contractor on February 14, 2023. The contractor agreed to pay Amtrak \$54,567 out of retainage held by Amtrak and an additional \$9,822 to the United States for overbilling overhead rates above the maximum allowed for work performed on the New Jersey High Speed Rail Improvement Program from 2013 to 2017. Separate from the civil settlement agreement, the contractor also paid Amtrak \$10,561 for overbilling overhead rates on the same project during the period from 2018 to 2020.