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Debbie Davenport
Auditor General
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Dear Ms. Davenport,

Thank you for the opportunity to respond to the Sunset Review for the Arizona Department of Health Services (ADHS).

In addition to an analysis of the twelve sunset factors, this report is partially based on two performance audits; the Division of Behavioral Health Services - Substance Abuse Treatment Program #09-07 and the Division of Licensing Services – Healthcares and Child Care Facility Licensing Fees #09-01. The Auditor General's findings and recommendations for both audits were discussed and responded to separately. ADHS agreed to the findings and the recommendations will be implemented.

We greatly appreciated the opportunity to work with your staff on the audits and we value the insight and recommendations you have provided us.

Sincerely,

Will Humble
Interim Director
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