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November 18, 2004

The Honorable David A. Petersen Arizona State Treasurer Office of the State Treasurer 3443 North Central Avenue, 17<sup>th</sup> Floor Phoenix, AZ 85012-2225

Subject: Management Letter

Dear Mr. Petersen:

In planning and conducting our audit of the Office for the year ended June 30, 2004, we considered the Office's internal controls over financial reporting as required by U.S. generally accepted auditing standards and tested its compliance with laws and regulations that could have a direct and material effect on the Office's financial statements.

We noted no findings involving internal controls over financial reporting or instances of noncompliance that we consider to be material.

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Should you have any questions concerning its contents, please let us know.

Sincerely,

Debbie Davenport Auditor General