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Lieutenant Colonel David Felix, Interim Director Arizona Department of Public Safety 2102 West Encanto Boulevard Phoenix, AZ 85005-6638

Subject: Procedural Review Letter

Dear Lieutenant Colonel Felix:

We have performed a procedural review of the Department's internal controls in effect as of October 31, 2004. Our review consisted primarily of inquiries, observations, and selected tests of internal control policies and procedures, accounting records, and related documents. The review was more limited than would be necessary to give an opinion on internal controls. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on internal controls or ensure that all deficiencies in internal controls are disclosed.

Specifically, we reviewed cash receipts, cash disbursements, journal entries, transfers, payroll, purchasing, and equipment.

Our review found no significant deficiencies in internal controls that we should report to you. However, our review disclosed isolated or less significant deficiencies that we have communicated directly to your staff.

This letter is intended solely for your information and use of the Department and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than the specified party. However, this letter is a matter of public record, and its distribution is not limited.

Should you have any questions concerning our procedural review, please let us know.

Sincerely,

Dennis L. Mattheisen, CPA Financial Audit Director