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The Honorable Diane Douglas
Superintendent of Public Instruction
Arizona Department of Education
Executive Officer
Arizona State Board of Education
1535 West Jefferson Street
Phoenix, AZ 85007

Subject: Toltec Elementary School District No. 22

Dear Ms. Douglas:

We issued a letter January 11, 2017, informing Toltec Elementary School District No. 22 that it had not complied with the Uniform System of Financial Records (USFR) based on our review of the District's audit reports and USFR Compliance Questionnaire for the year ended June 30, 2015. The District was given 90 days to correct its deficiencies.

In February 2017, District management represented to us that they had made significant progress in correcting the deficiencies during fiscal year 2016. We mutually agreed to wait until the District's audit reports and USFR Compliance Questionnaire were completed for the year ended June 30, 2016, before we would perform a status review to determine if the District has corrected its internal control deficiencies. Those reports were due by March 31, 2017.

To date, we have not received the District's audit reports and USFR Compliance Questionnaire for the year ended June 30, 2016. Consequently, the District has not complied with the USFR and state and federal law regarding report submission, and we request that the Board take appropriate action as prescribed by Arizona Revised Statutes §15-272.

If you have questions concerning this matter, please call Laura Miller, Accounting Services Director, or Megan Smith, Accounting Services Manager, at (602) 553-0333.

Sincerely,

Debbie Davenport Auditor General

cc: Governing Board

Dr. Jeff Van Handel, Superintendent

Ms. Eileen Crumbaker, Business Manager

Toltec Elementary School District No. 22

The Honorable Jill Broussard, Pinal County School Superintendent

Dr. Karol Schmidt, Executive Director

Arizona State Board of Education

Ms. Shari Zara, Deputy Superintendent Operations

Ms. Christy Ellison, Deputy Associate Superintendent, Grants Management

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