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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: Western Arizona Vocational Education JTED

Dear Ms. Douglas:

We issued a letter May 4, 2016, informing Western Arizona Vocational Education JTED that we had not received its audit reports for the 2 years ended June 30, 2015, and the Uniform System of Financial Records (USFR) Compliance Questionnaire for the year ended June 30, 2015. They were due by March 31, 2016. We informed the District's Governing Board that if the District did not submit the reports and questionnaire within 90 days, we would notify the Arizona State Board of Education.

To date, we have not received the District's audit reports for the 2 years ended June 30, 2015, and questionnaire for the year ended June 30, 2015. Consequently, the District has not complied with the USFR and state law in regard to 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

Ms. Amy West, Superintendent

The Honorable Michael D. File, Mohave 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 Arizona Department of Education