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Director

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Ms. Debra K. Davenport
Office of the Auditor General
2910 North 44th Street, Suite 410
Phoenix, AZ 85018

Re: Auditor General Report on Administrative Staffing

Dear Ms. Davenport:

The Arizona Department of Child Safety (Department) appreciates the opportunity to provide this response to the Auditor General's report of Administrative Staffing.

The report has been reviewed and we concur with the findings. We are pleased your office found the Department's administrative staffing levels to be reasonable, aligned with other agencies and that a reasonable process to estimate staffing needs has been implemented.

I would like to thank you and your staff for this important work. The collaborative effort of the Auditor General's staff throughout this audit is valued and appreciated.

Sincerely,

Gregory McKay
Director

Cc: Michael Dellner, Deputy Director of Operations
Ro Matthews, Chief Enterprise Risk Management Officer
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