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Dear Senators Birdwell, Buckingham, Hall, Nichols and Watson and Representatives Paddie, Flynn, Lambert, Nevárez and Thompson, and Ms. Pataki and Mr. Steinhart:

I want to thank you for the opportunity afforded to us to provide comments on the Staff Report that was provided to this agency on August 2, 2018 and to express our appreciation for the courtesies and professionalism the Sunset Advisory Commission staff extended to this agency during the review of our operations. We also want to recognize the many hours of hard work the Sunset Advisory Commission Staff put into obtaining an understanding of the operations and

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responsibilities of this agency. We support and agree with many of the recommendations and findings. We will make every effort to implement them as appropriate.

There are some findings and recommendations we believe need to be corrected or modified and they are contained in the attached response. We hope that you will find them helpful in your review of this agency's responsibilities to assure that this agency continues to provide the highest level of services possible to its stakeholders.

Please let me know if there is any way that I may assist you in your consideration of the continuation of the important work of this agency.

Sincerely,



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