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Paula Higashi, Executive Director  
Commission on State Mandates  
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Sacramento, CA 95814

Re: Test Claim Amendment - Crime Statistics Reports for the Department of Justice 02-TC-04, 02-TC-11

Dear Ms. Higashi:

The Department of Justice (DOJ) requests an extension to file comments on the draft Test Claim Amendment Crime Statistics Reports for the DOJ 02-TC-04, 02-TC-11 to conduct further legal research. The DOJ will submit written comments by September 5, 2008.

Thank you for your consideration. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Marilyn Yankee at (916) 227-4777.

Sincerely,

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Bureau of Criminal Information and Analysis

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cc: Marilyn Yankee