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Heather Halsey  
Executive Director  
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980 Ninth Street, Suite 300  
Sacramento, CA 95814

**Re: Draft Proposed Decision**

Incorrect Reduction Claim

*Peace Officers Procedural Bill of Rights, 12-4499-I-02*

Government Code sections 3301, 3303, 3304, 3305, and 3306

Statutes 1976, Chapter 465; Statutes 1978, Chapters 775, 1173, 1174, and 1178;

Statutes 1979, Chapter 405; Statutes 1980, Chapter 1367, Statutes 1982, Chapter 994;

Statutes 1983, Chapter 964; Statutes 1989, Chapter 1165; Statutes 1990, Chapter 675

Fiscal Years 2003-2004, 2004-05, 2005-2006, 2006-07, and 2007-08

City of Los Angeles, Claimant

Dear Ms. Halsey:

The State Controller's Office (SCO) has reviewed the Commission on State Mandates' (Commission) draft staff analysis dated March 23, 2016, for the above incorrect reduction claim filed by the City of Los Angeles. We support the Commission's conclusion and recommendation.

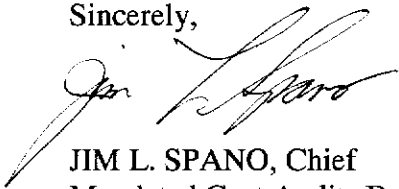
The Commission supported the SCO adjustments related to the following:

- Reduction of salaries and benefits claimed under the category of Administrative Activities, totaling \$2,864,828, plus related indirect costs, is correct as a matter of law and not arbitrary, capricious, or entirely lacking in evidentiary support.
- Reduction of salaries and benefits claimed under the category of Interrogations, totaling \$12,505,118, plus related indirect costs, is correct as a matter of law and not arbitrary, capricious, or entirely lacking in evidentiary support.
- Reduction of salaries and benefits claimed under the category of Adverse Comment, totaling \$11,289,312, plus related indirect costs, is correct as a matter of law and not arbitrary, capricious, or entirely lacking in evidentiary support.

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If you have any questions, please contact me by telephone at (916) 323-5849.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Jim L. Spano". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name.

JIM L. SPANO, Chief  
Mandated Cost Audits Bureau  
Division of Audits

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**DECLARATION OF SERVICE BY EMAIL**

I, the undersigned, declare as follows:

I am a resident of the County of Sacramento and I am over the age of 18 years, and not a party to the within action. My place of employment is 980 Ninth Street, Suite 300, Sacramento, California 95814.

On March 29, 2016, I served the:

**SCO Comments on Draft Proposed Decision**

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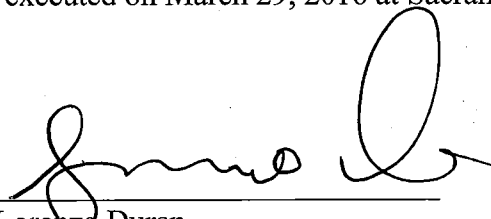
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Fiscal Years: 2003-2004, 2004-2005, 2005-2006, 2006-2007, and 2007-2008

City of Los Angeles, Claimant

By making it available on the Commission's website and providing notice of how to locate it to the email addresses provided on the attached mailing list.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct, and that this declaration was executed on March 29, 2016 at Sacramento, California.



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**Claim Number:** 12-4499-I-02

**Matter:** Peace Officer Bill of Rights (POBOR)

**Claimant:** City of Los Angeles

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