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Ms. Heather Halsey Executive Director Commission on State Mandates 980 Ninth Street, Suite 300 Sacramento, CA 95814

Dear Ms. Halsey:

## LOS ANGELES COUNTY'S RESPONSE TO THE COMMISSION ON STATE MANDATES' DRAFT STAFF ANALYSIS FOR LOCAL REVENUE REALIGNMENTS

We concur with the Commission's draft staff analysis dated May 30, 2013, for the Local Revenue Realignments test claim. The staff's analysis concluded that the test claim legislation imposes reimbursable mandated-activities on counties.

Pursuant to Section 1181.2, subd. (c)(1)(E) of the California Code of Regulations, "Documents e-filed with the Commission need not be otherwise served on the persons that have provided an e-mail address for the mailing list."

If you have any questions, please contact Hasmik Yaghobyan at (213) 893-0792 or <u>hyaghobyan@auditor.lacounty.gov</u>.

Very truly yours,

Auditor-Controller

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