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Honorable Betty T. Yee, State Controller Office of the State Controller 300 Capitol Mall, Suite 1850 Sacramento, California 95814

Dear Controller Yee:

The California State Auditor's Office presents its Independent Auditor's Report on the State Controller's Office (SCO) Schedule of Pensionable Compensation and Schedule of Pension Amounts for the State Miscellaneous, State Industrial, State Safety, State Peace Officers and Firefighters, and California Highway Patrol plans of the State of California, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2016. Our Independent Auditor's Report appears on page 2 of the report located on the SCO website at http://www.sco.ca.gov/ard_state_other_reports.html. The schedules and related notes provide certain state entities and their auditors with information related to the Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 68, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions and are presented in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Our report is intended solely for the parties included in the restriction on use paragraph contained in the Independent Auditor's Report and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

We conducted the audit to comply with the California Government Code, Section 8546.4.

Respectfully submitted,

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