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Kristi Sanders, CPA
Senior Supervising Auditor
Arkansas Division of Legislative Audit
Room 172, State Capitol
Little Rock, AR 72201

Re: *Review of State Law Enforcement Agencies, Unbiased Police Practices*

Dear Ms. Sanders:

The Office of the Attorney General has concluded its review of the racial profiling policies for the State's active law enforcement agencies in 2023. Our office received responses from 325 law enforcement agencies. Of those agencies, twenty-six (26) reported a change to their racial profiling policies. I reviewed the new racial profiling policies and found that eleven (11) policies were not compliant with the mandates of Arkansas Code Annotated §§ 12-12-1401 to 1405. The agencies with non-compliant policies were notified, and each submitted corrected policies for review. I have reviewed the corrected policies and found them to be compliant.

Sincerely,

Rosalyn Middleton

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Members of the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee:

This letter is issued to inform the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee that the Attorney General has reported, as of September 10, 2024, all active law enforcement entities have complied with Ark. Code Ann. § 12-12-1403, which requires the adoption of a racial profiling policy. The Attorney General reviewed the policies and determined they meet the standards required by law.

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Attachment
cc: Mr. Tim Griffin, Attorney General

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