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February 1, 2019

Mr. E. Dotson Wilson Chief Clerk of the Assembly State Capitol, Room 3196 Sacramento, CA 95814

SUBJECT: The California Actuarial Advisory Panel's 2018 Annual Report to the California Legislature

Dear Mr. Wilson:

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Sincerely,

Paul Angelo Chair, California Actuarial Advisory Panel

> State Controller's Office California Actuarial Advisory Panel c/o State Accounting and Reporting Division P.O. Box 942850, Sacramento, CA 94250 Phone: 916-322-3702 Fax: 916-323-4807

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