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## Mandate Reimbursement Services

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Drew Bohan, Executive Director  
Commission on State Mandates  
U.S. Bank Plaza Building  
980 Ninth Street, Suite 300  
Sacramento, California 95814

Re: CSM 02-TC-46  
Discrimination Complaint Procedures

Dear Mr. Bohan:

On behalf of the test claimants, I am requesting a 30-day extension to respond to the Draft Staff Analysis from February 2, 2011 to March 4, 2011.

The staff analysis is 246 pages and the result of many months of Commission staff work. Our response will require the same consideration. I cannot delegate the response to the staff analysis to support staff. Until February 15, 2011, our collective efforts are dedicated to the completion of about 800 annual reimbursement claims that are each subject to a \$10,000 penalty if late-filed. I also have competing Commission workload. I understand that one extension has already been granted to February 2, 2011, at the request of the Department of Finance, but since this falls into this annual claim filing period it did address our competing workload situation.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,



Keith B. Petersen

Submitted to the COSM Drop Box for service to listed parties.