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Honorable Holly J. Mitchell, Chair Joint Legislative Budget Committee 1020 N Street, room 553 Sacramento, CA 95814

Re: Cigarette and Tobacco Products Licensing Act Law Section 22990.7, Annual Report to the Legislature

Dear Chairwoman Mitchell:

Pursuant to the requirements of the Cigarette and Tobacco Products Licensing Act Law Section 22990.7, this report summarizes the California Department of Tax and Fee Administration's (formerly State Board of Equalization's) data about whether the annual licensing fee funding levels are set at an appropriate level to maintain an effective enforcement program for the *Cigarette and Tobacco Products Licensing Act of 2003*. This report includes the total revenue collected and total cost incurred during Fiscal Year 2017-18.

For Fiscal Year 2017-18, the total revenue collected was more than the total cost of the program resulting in the licensing fee being set at a sufficient level to support the program at this time.

Total Revenue Collected:

\$11,042,096

Total Cost:

\$ 9,531,265

If you have questions regarding this report, please contact the Program Administration Branch at (916) 323-0206.

Sincerely,

Nicolas Maduros Director

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