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The Honorable Warren Petersen
President of the Senate
Arizona State Senate
1700 W. Washington Street
Phoenix, AZ 85007

RE: Senate Bill 1473: agencies; single audit reports; penalty

President Petersen,

Today, I vetoed Senate Bill 1473. Our agencies provide critical services to Arizonans across the state, and should not be punished for leveraging a once in a generation influx of federal funding to improve the lives of everyday Arizonans.

The reporting delays experienced in the single audit were inherited from the previous administration. Our agencies are working diligently to rectify the extended reporting timeline.

Sincerely,

Katie Hobbs
Governor
State of Arizona

cc:

The Honorable Ben Toma
The Honorable Anthony Kern
The Honorable Adrian Fontes