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James J. Apperson
Director

November 15, 2010

Mr. James Butler
U.S. Department of Education
400 Maryland Avenue SW, Room 3E241
Washington, DC 20202

Re: Education Jobs Fund Program Maintenance-of-Effort Submission

Dear Mr. Butler:

Please accept the enclosed maintenance-of-effort submission for the Education Jobs Fund Program. Arizona is providing this documentation in order to demonstrate that we meet the maintenance-of-effort method 3 for this program. Supporting documentation for Arizona's submission is available on our Office of Strategic Planning and Budget's website at: http://www.ospb.state.az.us/Publications.asp.

If you need to discuss this matter any further, please contact me at japperson@az.gov or (602) 542-3464.

Sincerely,

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State Maintenance-of-Effort (MOE) Submission under the Education Jobs Fund Program

STATE: **Arizona**

MOE Method 3: Comparing Fiscal Year 2011 Dollar Levels of Support with Fiscal Year 2006 Levels

NOTE: This method is available only to States with State tax collections for calendar year 2009 that are less than State tax collections for calendar year 2006.

For State fiscal year (FY) 2011, the State will maintain State support for elementary and secondary education (*in the aggregate*) at not less than the level of such support for State FY 2006; and

For State FY 2011, the State will maintain State support for public institutions of higher education (IHEs) (not including support for capital projects or for research and development or tuition and fees paid by students) at not less than the level of such support for State FY 2006.

State Tax Collections Data

$ 12,156,809,000 State tax collections for calendar year 2006.

$ 10,254,975,000 State tax collections for calendar year 2009.

FY 2006 Baseline Data

$___3,413,687,300_____	The level of State support for elementary and secondary education *(in the aggregate)* for FY 2006.
$____987,239,500_____	The level of State support for public IHEs for FY 2006.

Projected FY 2011 Data

$_____3,418,164,200_____	The projected level of State support for elementary and secondary education *(in the aggregate)* for FY 2011.
$_____990,004,100_____	The projected level of State support for public IHEs for FY 2011.

Affirmation of MOE Data

To the best of my knowledge and belief, all of the data in this submission are true and correct and are substantiated by the accompanying documentation.

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Governor or Authorized Representative (Printed Name)

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Signature of Governor or Authorized Representative Date