

## METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT OF NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON COUNTY

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE
OFFICE OF FINANCIAL ACCOUNTABILITY
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March 7, 2016

Jon Cooper – Director Department of Law Metro Courthouse Suite 108 P.O. Box 196300 Nashville, TN 37219-6300

Dear Mr. Cooper:

The Office of Financial Accountability has completed a review of a selected number of the FY15 Budget Key Measures Results as reported to the Office of Management and Budget for the year ended June 30, 2015. The purpose of the review was to verify the accuracy of your department's reported results.

As stated in the engagement letter, we randomly selected and tested program results that constitute a minimum of 10% of the department's total reported program budgets. We have completed our review of the supporting documentation and test of the computation of the reported result of the selected FY15 key measure. The result of the testing is attached for your review.

We appreciate the assistance provided by your agency during the course of the review. If you have any questions, please call me at 615-862-6712.

Sincerely,

## Kevin Brown

Kevin Brown, CMFO, CICA Finance Administrator

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## **ATTACHMENT I**

Department: Department of Law

Purpose: To verify the accuracy of the department's performance measures as

reported to the Office of Management and Budget.

Scope: FY 2015

Methodology: The Office of Financial Accountability randomly selected a sample

that consisted of a minimum of 10% of the department's reported

budgeted program dollars.

Total Reported Budget: \$5,240,000

Program: Litigation and Administrative Hearings Program

Total Tested Budget: \$2,772,700

Percent Tested: 53%

Performance Measure: Percentage of dispute resolutions considered high quality as reported

by Metropolitan Government clients

Reported Data: 100%

**OFA Calculation:** 100%

Was selected reported performance measure

verified? Yes