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Deborah Conner
Chief, Asset Forfeiture and Money Laundering Section
Criminal Division
U.S. Department of Justice
950 Pennsylvania Avenue NW
Washington, DC 20530-0001

Re: Equitable Sharing Agreement and Certifications, Fiscal Year 20XX-20XX

Dear Chief Conner:

The Sonoma County District Attorney's Office is in the process of submitting the Equitable Sharing Agreement and Certifications (Affidavit – Existing Participant) as required by the US Department of Justice (DOJ) for the fiscal year ending 6/30/20XX to continue participation in the equitable sharing program.

The Affidavit Section states that the District Attorney and Governing Body Head declare under penalty of perjury that they have read and understand all obligations under the Guide to Equitable Sharing for State, Local, and Tribal Law Enforcement Agencies (Guide) and all subsequent updates. As the District Attorney and the Board of Supervisors are entitled to rely on knowledge and information provided by County Staff, the Affidavit should certify only their reasonable understanding of such information.

The enclosed Equitable Sharing Agreements and Certification, signed by the District Attorney and the Chair of the County of Sonoma Board of Supervisors, is being provided with the understanding that this is a *pro forma* document which does not require the District Attorney or Chair of the Board of Supervisors be personally involved in the matters being certified.

Sincerely,

Shane Lewis
Administrative Services Officer II
Sonoma County District Attorney's Office

cc: Tanya Saunders

