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Honorable Doug Ducey
Governor of Arizona
1700 West Washington
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RE: Arizona Revised Statutes §8-817(B)(8) Annual Report

Dear Governor Ducey:

Enclosed please find the FY14-15 annual report compiled pursuant to ARS §8-817(B)(8) detailing the results of investigations of allegations involving crimes against children by a parent or guardian in Yavapai County.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at (928) 777-7352 if I can provide any additional information. I appreciate the continued interest that your office has in the welfare of children and families in our state.

Very truly yours,

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Enclosure

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2014-2015 REPORT PURSUANT TO A.R.S. §8-817(B)(8)

Arizona Revised Statutes §8-817(B)(8) requires the county attorney for each county to prepare an annual report that contains the following information for crimes against children by a parent or guardian involving "criminal conduct allegations:"

- The number of cases presented for review
- The number of cases jointly investigated
- The number of persons charged in those cases
- The reasons why charges were not pursued
- The disposition of these cases

In accordance with this statute, the Yavapai County Attorney submits the following report:

Number	Yavapai County Case Data
106	Investigations of criminal conduct allegations presented to County Attorney's Office for review
-	Number of investigations jointly investigated – This office is unable to accurately provide this number. Our database does not track this information and the changes to §8-817(B)(8) prohibit this office from communicating with other agencies who also report. Efforts will be made for the upcoming year to track this information.
63	Persons charged
20	Cases declined for insufficient evidence.
8	Cases returned to law enforcement for additional investigation
6	Cases referred to another agency for prosecution
9	Pending review by Charging Division

Dispositions	
63	Persons charged
33	Convictions
0	Acquittal
30	Pending