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Ms. Susan Spicka
Executive Director
Education Voters of PA
412 North 3rd Street
Harrisburg, PA 17101

Dear Ms. Spicka,

Thank you for your letter addressed to Auditor General DeFoor, dated May 23, 2022. General DeFoor and I understand that concerns are being raised in the educational community over cyber charter school operations. We appreciate you bringing these issues to our attention, and we welcome the level of detail you provided in your letter.

As you are aware, our Bureau of School Audits was closed effective April 22, 2022, due in part to the severe budget reductions this department experienced over the last several years. Although the bureau was closed, and our staff resources are severely limited, please know that we are carefully considering your request for an audit, and we will evaluate the issues you raised when we plan for future performance audits.

Thank you again for taking the time to reach out to the Auditor General and for bringing your concerns to our attention.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Gordon R. Denlinger".

Gordon R. Denlinger, CPA
Deputy Auditor General for Audits