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Orange County Grand Jury 700 Civic Center Drive West Santa Ana, CA 92701

RE: Response to Findings and Recommendations to *Ouch! – Now That Didn't Hurt: The Implementation of the Vaccination Bill SB277 in Orange County Schools.* 

To Whom It May Concern:

Capistrano Unified School District Responds to the following Orange County Grand Jury findings:

F.1 The impact of SB277 on school districts in Orange County was minimal. Districts were prepared and staff with well trained personnel.

The District concurs with the Orange County Grand Jury finding F.1.

F. 2 There were very few problems that arose with medical exemptions for vaccinations. Health clerks and school nurses were able to handle any discrepancies.

The District concurs with the Orange County Grand Jury finding F.2.

F.3 Personal belief exemptions that were grandfathered in are professionally tracked with timely notifications to parents as to when vaccinations are due to be completed.

The District concurs with the Orange County Grand Jury finding F.3.

F.4. Orange County school districts made every effort to make vaccination information available using social media, direct mailings and links on school websites to clinics in the area.

The District concurs with the Orange County Grand Jury finding F.4.

Capistrano Unified School District responds to the following Orange County Grand Jury recommendations:

R.1 School districts should continue to track students with grandfathered personal belief exemptions to ensure these students have the required vaccinations before they reach the next reporting levels.

The District concurs with the Orange County Grand Jury Recommendation R.1.

R. 2. Districts should continue to monitor student vaccination percentages to maintain the threshold defined by the CDPH.

The District concurs with the Orange County Grand Jury Recommendation R.2.

Sincerely,

Martha McNicholas

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