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Michael D. Hurley Senate Clerk Office of the Clerk of the Senate 24 Beacon Street, Room 335 State House Boston, MA 02133

Re: Division of Administrative Law Appeals' Annual Report

Dear Mr. Hurley:

I am pleased to submit the Division of Administrative Law Appeals' (DALA) annual report for 2023 in accordance with M.G.L. ch. 7, § 4H. The report highlights the accomplishments of the dedicated and talented individuals at DALA who work every day to achieve the agency's mission and to serve the people of Massachusetts.

Pursuant to M.G.L. ch. 7, § 4H, the report includes a list of all cases that DALA's General Jurisdiction Unit received in 2023, including the names of the parties, the date the agency received the case, the type of case, and, if applicable, the type of disposition. For privacy purposes, names of individuals and companies have been redacted.

A special thanks to Jennifer Ngo, Reece Ehrlichman, Myrto Flessas and James Rooney for their contributions to this report. I would also like to thank the team at A&F IT for their invaluable assistance with data analysis and visualization.

Sincerely,

Natalie S. Monroe Chief Administrative Magistrate

cc: Matthew Gorzkowicz, Secretary, Executive Office of Administration & Finance