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Honorable John Cornyn
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Dear General Cornyn:

RE: Opinion regarding use of motor vehicle registration revenues by counties

Please provide an opinion regarding the lawful use by counties of funds collected for the registration of motor vehicles. For what purpose may a county transfer the revenue to another fund? Is the county general fund an allowable place for the money to go?

I am enclosing materials presented regarding a situation in El Paso County. Of course, I'll be happy to answer any questions that may arise in preparing your opinion on this matter.

Sincerely,

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cc: Rep. Manny Najera

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