NOTICES OF FINAL DELEGATION AGREEMENTS

The Administrative Procedure Act requires the publication of notices of proposed delegation agreements in the *Register*. A delegation agreement is an agreement between an agency and a political subdivision that authorizes the political subdivision to exercise functions, powers or duties conferred on the delegating agency by a provision of law. Delegation agreements are not intergovernmental agreements pursuant to A.R.S. Title 11, Chapter 7, Article 3. For at least 30 days after publication of the Notice of Proposed Delegation Agreement in the *Register*, the agency shall provide persons the opportunity to submit in writing statements, arguments, date, and views on the proposed delegation agreement and shall provide an opportunity for a public hearing if there is sufficient interest. The delegating agency shall follow the procedures for delegation agreements specified in A.R.S. Title 41, Chapter 6, Article 8. While the law does not require the Secretary of State's Office to publish Notices of Final Delegation Agreements, we are doing so for public information.

NOTICE OF FINAL DELEGATION AGREEMENT

1. **Name of the agency adopting the delegation agreement:**
   Department of Environmental Quality
2. **The name of the political subdivision to which functions, powers, or duties of the agency are to be delegated:**
   Maricopa County Environmental Services Department
3. **Date of final decision on delegation agreement:**
   January 5, 1996
4. **Effective date of delegation agreement:**
   February 5, 1996
5. **Date of Notice of Proposed Delegation Agreement published in the Register:**
   1 A.A.R. 2418, November 17, 1995