## UCA Improving Controls After Fraud Discovered

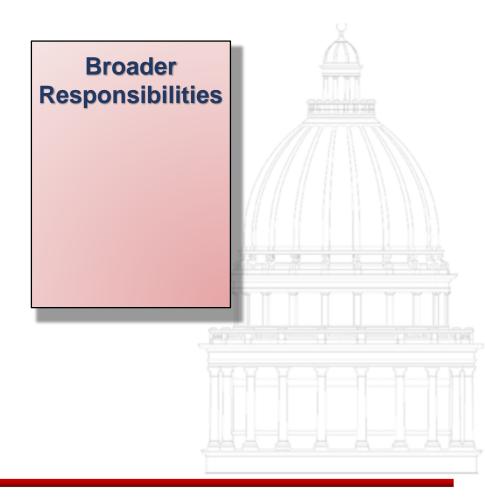
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### Background

- 1. UCA announced an \$800,000 credit card fraud over 10 years, discovered in 2016
- OSA discovered that 13 of 36 credit card purchases lacked receipts

### State Auditor Responsibilities

Financial Statement Audit



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## Financial Statement Audit

- Done Correctly
- Appropriate
- However, Insufficient

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### Broader Responsibilities

- Honesty and integrity in fiscal affairs
- II. Accuracy and reliability of financial statements
- III. Effectiveness adequacy of financial controls
- IV. Compliance with the law

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### OSA Review Inadequate

- Exercised Insufficient Professional Skepticism
- Inappropriately Accepted limited credit card info
- Insufficient follow up in 2011

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# UCA Ultimately Responsible For Fraud Detection

#### Management acknowledged responsibility for:

- Design and implementation of controls to prevent fraud
- Compliance with laws, regulations, and provisions of contracts

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# UCA's Reaction Appears Reasonable

- Resolved civil issue
- Resolving personnel issues
- Implementing OSA-recommended controls
- Working with Division of Finance and Dept. of HR

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