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To: Members, State Board of Education

From: Angelica Allen-McMillan, Ed.D., Acting Commissioner

Subject: **Certification of School Districts**

Pursuant to the provisions of the New Jersey Quality Single Accountability Continuum (NJQSAC), N.J.S.A. 18A:7A-14 and N.J.A.C. 6A:30, the executive county superintendents have conducted twenty-one NJQSAC reviews since the June State Board meeting. [Appendix A](#) lists the districts and their most recent NJQSAC scores.

High Performing Districts Recommended to the State Board for Certification

Seven districts have scored 80 percent or above in all five NJQSAC areas. Therefore, I am recommending that you approve these districts for certification for a period of three years, pursuant to the date of the NJQSAC Placement letters that were issued.

Districts Below 80% in One or More NJQSAC Areas

Fourteen districts scored below 80 percent in one or more areas of NJQSAC and will develop or continue to implement the NJQSAC district improvement plan (DIP) to address deficient indicators. Following the district's implementation of the approved district improvement plan, the executive county superintendent will conduct an interim progress review in six months from date of the NJQSAC Placement letters that were issued.

AAM:PB:CS: district certification/July
Attachments