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Ms. Arleen J. Lippincott, Superintendent  
Berkeley Township School District (0320)  
53 Central Parkway  
Bayville, NJ 08721-2414

Dear Ms. Lippincott:

Subject: Special Education Monitoring Report – Berkeley Township School District

This correspondence has been sent to inform you of the status of the New Jersey Department of Education, Office of Special Education Programs' onsite monitoring regarding the Berkeley Township's implementation of federal and state special education requirements. All findings of noncompliance identified as a result of monitoring were corrected within one year of identification. No further action regarding this monitoring is required by the district. Of the 46 requirements reviewed, the district demonstrated noncompliance with 8 requirements. Through ongoing verification activities, the district demonstrated correction of all 8 areas of noncompliance. The district must maintain a system of oversight to ensure continued compliance with federal and state special education requirements.

Questions regarding the monitoring should be directed to Dr. Peggy McDonald, manager of the Bureau of Program Accountability at 609-292-7605.

The NJOSEP appreciates the cooperation of school staff members during the monitoring and verification process.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Barbara Gantwerk".

Barbara Gantwerk, Assistant Commissioner  
Division of Student Services

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Enclosure

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