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Mr. John Saporito, Superintendent  
Commercial Township School District  
1308 North Ave.  
P.O. Box 650  
Port Norris, NJ 08349

Dear Mr. Saporito:

Subject: Special Education Monitoring Report – Commercial 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 Commercial 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 11 requirements. Through ongoing verification activities, the district demonstrated correction of all 11 areas of noncompliance. The district must maintain a system of oversight to ensure continued compliance with federal and state special education requirements.

Please contact me at 609-292-7605 if you have questions regarding the monitoring process. The NJOSEP appreciates the cooperation of school staff members during the monitoring and verification process.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Peggy McDonald".

Peggy McDonald, Manager  
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Enclosure

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