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Dr. Mark Jones, Superintendent Pennsville Township School Oistrict 30 Church Street Pennsville, NJ 08070-2123

Dear Dr. Jones:

Subject:

Special Education Monitoring - Correction of Noncompliance - Pennsville 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's (NJOSE) onsite monitoring regarding the Pennsville Township School District'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 Pennsville Township School District. Of the 46 requirements reviewed, the district demonstrated noncompliance with ten requirements. Through ongoing verification activities, the Pennsville Township School District demonstrated correction of all areas of noncompliance. The Pennsville Township School District must maintain a system of oversight to ensure continued compliance with federal and state special education requirements.

Questions regarding the monitoring process should be directed to me at 609-292-0147.

The NJOSE appreciates the cooperation of Pennsville Township School District staff members during the monitoring and verification process.

Sincerely.

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