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TO: Mr. Ira Schwartz, Assistant Commissioner

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RE: NCLB Public School Choice CAP Submission

DATE: September 27, 2013

Attached please find the revised NCLB Public School Choice CAP. As a result of SED's latest feedback, stakeholder input, and a more comprehensive internal district review of the details required for implementation, we have a better document—and we are positioned much more favorably to be successful.

Recently, the district added five elementary classrooms to support PSC requests. To date the district has transferred 245 PSC-eligible students with additional transfers occurring each day. On September 26 we met with area superintendents at Erie 1 BOCES to launch plans for inter-district collaboration. All of this activity, including three recently scheduled stakeholder sessions to review our CAP, has provided a momentum that is both necessary and promising.

In addition to the attached CAP, other required materials are presented including a roster of current PSC applicants who have not yet received transfer offers and the latest data report on completed transfers.

I wish to thank SED staff, DE Judy Elliott, our parent leaders, and all participants who have contributed to this outcome. Without their persistence and contributions we would not be ready to meet this challenge. I believe we are now ready.

Again, thank you for your support of this project.