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SCORING CLARIFICATION

Notice to English Language Arts Test Scoring Coordinators

Concerning the 2018 English Language Arts Tests
Grade 7

Scoring Leader Materials Practice Set and
Scorer Materials Practice Set

For Question 43

7ELA SLM-PS (pp. 71-73, 91)
7ELA-PS-C (pp.21-22, 36)

This notice concerns the Grade 7, question 43, Scoring Leader Materials Practice Set (SLM-PS) PS 1 on pages 71-73, and the Scorer Materials Practice Set C (7ELA-PS-C) on pages 21-22.

Please disregard PS 1 when training and scoring this set and begin with PS 2. The same response is duplicated in PS 1 and PS 2. The appropriate score and annotation associated with this response are represented in PS 2.

In the Scoring Leader Materials Practice Set (SLM-PS) on pages 71-73, please cross out the PS 1 student response, score, and annotation. In addition, please also cross out the PS 1 row of the Grade 7 ELA Practice Key table for question 43 on page 91.

In the Scorer Materials Practice Set C (7ELA-PS-C) on pages 21-22, please cross out the PS 1 student response. In addition, please also cross out the PS 1 row of the Practice Scorer Sheet table for question 43 on page 36.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause you and we thank you for your hard work on behalf of the students in New York State.