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THE STATE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
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Albany, New York 12234**

Notice to Teachers
NYSESLAT Grades 7–8, Reading Subtest
Monday, May 17—Thursday, May 27, 2010

This notice pertains to Question 23 of the NYSESLAT Grades 7–8 Reading subtest.

In Question 23, a possession is referenced as belonging to one of the characters in the reading passage whereas it actually belongs to the other character.

At the time of scoring of the multiple-choice questions, the Department's contractor, Pearson, will make an adjustment to the scores of all students who have been administered the Grades 7–8 Reading booklet.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused you and your students, and we thank you for your continued cooperation.