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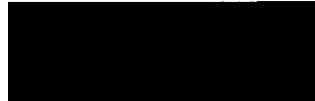
Dear Dr. Wortham:

As you know, on June 30, 2016, the Governor signed into law Chapter 89 of the

path to fiscal and programmatic stability. Finally, the plans include goals, appropriate benchmarks, measurable objectives and strategies to address areas of needed improvement in the District including financial stability, academic opportunities and outcomes, the education of students with disabilities and English language learners.

Thank you for your efforts to collaborate with Mr. Szuberla and Dr. Sipple on the development of the improvement and expenditure plans. I look forward to our continued work together to ensure that the requirements of Chapter 89 are met and that the students of East Ramapo have access to appropriate, quality programs and services.

Sincerely,



MaryEllen Eila
Commissioner