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MEMORANDUM

TO: District School Superintendents

FROM: Pam Stewart

DATE: September 14, 2012

SUBJECT: Local Educational Agency Parent Involvement Policy

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Section 1118 of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) requires each Local Educational Agency (LEA) and school that receives funds under Title I, Part A, to develop and distribute to parents of participating children a written parent involvement policy (PIP). In order to assist LEAs in the development of high-quality PIPs, the Florida Department of Education (FDOE) has developed the attached templates and online system.

The online system for LEA-level and school-level policies are located at

<https://app1.fldoe.org/bsa/ParentInvolvementPlan>.

The LEA is responsible for reviewing and approving the school-level PIPs. The LEA must also plan and implement these policies with meaningful consultation with parents of children participating in Title I, Part A programs. Section 1118(h) requires FDOE to review each LEA's PIP to determine if the policies and practices meet the requirements of ESEA. Staff will use the attached review rubric to determine if the LEA's policy meets compliance. Our staff is available to provide assistance and guidance to LEAs in the development or revision of the LEA PIP. If you have questions or need additional information, please contact Tony Graham via email at Tony.Graham@fldoe.org or by phone at (850) 245-9893.

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Attachments

cc: District Title I Coordinators
Parental Involvement Contacts