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July 1, 2010

Dr. Ann Clark, Superintendent
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VIA FACSIMILE AND U.S. MAIL

Dear Dr. Clark:

In my letter dated April 12, 2010, you were notified that despite the actions of the Fairfield Board of Education ("Board") to increase diversity throughout the district, the absolute imbalance for McKinley School had increased by more than three percent. Based upon this increase, I asked the Board to submit revisions to its plan to address racial imbalance in this school within 120 days.

In your letter dated June 24, 2010, you noted that Dr. David Title will become the Fairfield School District's new superintendent of schools effective July 1, 2010. Due to this change in leadership, the Board has asked for an extension of time to allow Dr. Title to participate in the development of the revised plan. You asked that the period for this submission be extended 120 days from the date Dr. Title will begin his employment in Fairfield, which is July 1st, as noted above.

Accordingly, I am granting your request for an extension of time. The revision to the Board's plan to correct the racial imbalance at McKinley School will be due on or before September 30, 2010. The State Board of Education will vote to approve, conditionally approve or disapprove your revised plan within 60 days of its receipt. If you have any questions, please contact Attorney Laura Anastasio at (860) 713-6512.

Sincerely,

Mark K. McQuillan
Commissioner of Education

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cc: Attorney Laura Anastasio, Division of Legal and Governmental Affairs