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Mr. Anthony South  
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Maryland State Board of Education  
200 West Baltimore Street  
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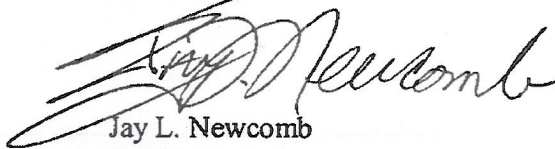
Dear Mr. South:

On May 3, 2010 the County Council of Dorchester County, Maryland, in conjunction with the support of the Board of Education of Dorchester County, requested a waiver of the State's Maintenance of Effort (MOE) requirements for Fiscal Year 2011 under Section 202(d)(1)-(6). At that time, the Council is continuing through its budget process. The final legislative public hearing is now scheduled for May 18, 2010 and sufficient funds have been identified to cover the additional \$354,728 needed to fully fund Maintenance of Effort for FY 2011. Therefore, on behalf of the County Council I withdraw the request for a waiver of the MOE for FY 2011.

Thank you. If you have any questions, please call the Council's Office at (410) 228-1700.

Sincerely,

DORCHESTER COUNTY COUNCIL

  
Jay L. Newcomb  
President

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cc: Superintendent of Dorchester County Public Schools  
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