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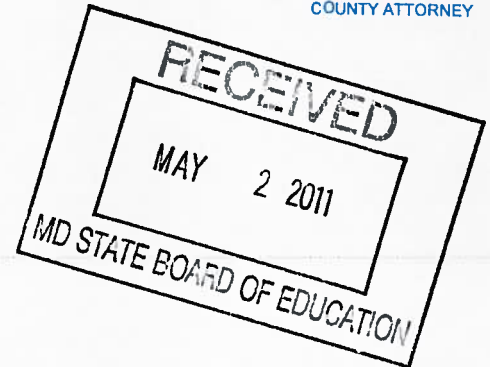
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Anthony South, Executive Director
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Dear Mr. South,

On March 29, 2011 the Board of County Commissioners filed a request for a waiver from the State's Maintenance of Effort requirement stipulated in Section 5-202 of the Education Article. At this point, Kent County's Board of Commissioners is withdrawing Kent County's request for a waiver.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Very truly yours,

THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF KENT COUNTY, MARYLAND

Ronald H. Fithian, President

cc: Dr. A. Barbara Wheeler, Superintendent, KCPS
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