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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF HAWAII

E.R.K., by his legal guardian R.K.,  
et. al,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION,  
State of Hawai'i,

Defendant.

CIVIL NO. 10-00436 SOM-KSC

**DEFENDANT'S STATUS REPORT;  
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

Date: August 20, 2015

Time: 10:15 a.m.

Judge: Hon. Kevin S.C. Chang

## **DEFENDANT’S STATUS REPORT**

Defendant DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, State of Hawai‘i

(“Department”) submits the following Status Report in the above entitled case.

### **I. Diplomas and decline of services in the 305 group**

Pursuant to the Court’s request, the Department has identified 5 individuals from the 305 group that graduated with diplomas. In addition, the Department has also identified 35 individuals/families from the 305 group who have definitively states that they did not want services.

### **II. “Help Desks”**

The Department has put together a schedule for the “help desks.” Currently, the Department has scheduled four (4) “help desks” on Oahu, three (3) on the Big Island, three (3) on Maui, one (1) each on Kauai, Molokai, and Lanai. The operation times may vary depending on the region/area. The current schedule is as follows:

Tuesday, Sept. 1: Central - Moanalua Community School for Adults  
Campus: 4-8pm only

Wednesday, Sept. 2 : Maui Community School for Adults Campus: 8-  
11am & 4-8pm

Thursday, Sept. 3: Honolulu - McKinley Community School for  
Adults Campus: 8-11am & 4-8pm; Maui - Hana Elementary and  
High School: 4-7pm only

Friday, Sept. 4: Maui - Lahaina Intermediate 4-8pm only

Tuesday, Sept. 8: Hawaii - Kona CSA 4-8pm only

Wednesday, Sept. 9: Hawaii - Paauilo Elem & Intermediate 4-8pm  
only

Thursday, Sept. 10: Hawaii - Hilo CSA 8-11am & 4-8pm

Monday, Sept. 14: Molokai Community School for Adults Campus: 4-8pm only

Tuesday, Sept. 15: Kauai Community School for Adults Campus: 4-8pm only

Thursday, Sept. 17: Leeward - Kapolei CSA 4-8pm only

Thursday, Sept. 24: Windward CSA 4-8 only

Monday, Sept. 28: Lanai Community School for Adults Campus: 4-8pm only

If the above schedule can be met, the Department anticipates completing “help desk” operations by the end of September.

The Department is working on a draft of a notice letter to be sent out to the “undisputed” individuals with “help desk” information. The Department would like to have a final approved version of the notice letter as soon as possible so that the “help desks” may be implemented.

### **III. Education Records & Guardian contact information**

Plaintiffs’ counsel has requested copies of the education records of 27 students. The Department has obtained 24 of the subject education records and we hope to be able to provide these education records to Plaintiffs’ shortly.

According to the Department, there was miscommunication between the Department and its staff which will delay the production of the guardian contact information. However, the Department has a proposal which it hopes will avoid any delays in moving forward with class identification.

**IV. Supplement Assessment Reports for Pilot Group**

The Department anticipates completing the supplemental assessment reports for the Pilot Group by August 24, 2015.

**V. Outside Service Providers – Existing contracts with the Department**

The Department intends to review the list of service providers received from Plaintiffs' counsel and identify which, if any, are under current contracts with the Department.

It is noted that Plaintiffs' 4 month lead time estimate only took into consideration the scenario of a single service provider taking in 300-400 individuals. Whether the lead time can be shortened if multiple service providers were implemented remains to be seen. However, the use of a combination and/or multiple services providers should be taken into consideration in order to shorten the lead time for providing services.

Dated: Honolulu, Hawai'i, August 19, 2015.

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