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Dr. Roger J. Lulow Interim Superintendent Greenwich Public Schools Havemeyer Building Greenwich, CT 06830-6521

Dear Dr. Lulow:

On May 17, 2012, the Connecticut State Board of Education ("CSBE") accepted a report concerning the racial imbalance statistics for all schools in the state. This report, which I have enclosed for your information, indicates that Hamilton Avenue and New Lebanon Schools in Greenwich continue to be racially imbalanced. In addition, Old Greenwich and Western Middle Schools have impending imbalance. As to the schools with impending imbalance, the law does not require you to take action at this time; it merely requires that we notify you of the impending imbalance.

The Greenwich Board of Education ("Greenwich Board") currently has in place a plan to correct racial imbalance, which was amended in 2010. The CSBE expressed its concern that the imbalance at Hamilton Avenue and New Lebanon Schools has not improved and has requested that the Greenwich Board present a revision to its plan. In order to be considered by the CSBE at its October meeting, you will need to submit your revision to the Division of Legal and Governmental Affairs ("DLGA") no later than September 14, 2012.

The CSBE has also requested that you attend its meeting on October 3, 2012, so that members can discuss with you the revision to your plan and how it will remedy the continuing racial imbalance in the Greenwich public schools.

If you have any questions, you may contact Attorney Laura Anastasio, DLGA, at (860) 713-6512.

Sincerely

Commissioner of Education

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Enclosure