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November 8, 2013

Ms. Carla Santorno
Superintendent
Tacoma School District No. 10
P.O. Box 1357
Tacoma, Washington 98401-1357

Re: Tacoma School District No. 10
OCR Reference No. 10131136

Dear Superintendent Santorno:

This is to inform you that the U.S. Department of Education, Office for Civil Rights (OCR) is discontinuing its investigation of the referenced discrimination complaint against Tacoma School District No. 10. The complaint alleged that the district discriminated against a parent, based on disability, by failing to provide him with his son's classroom progress reports, lists of class assignments, and homework assignments in an accessible format during the 2012-2013 school year.

OCR accepted this complaint for resolution under the authority of section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, and their implementing regulations. The district has agreed to take the actions set forth in the enclosed voluntary resolution agreement, which, when fully implemented, will resolve the issues raised by the complaint. OCR will monitor the implementation of the agreement and will close the complaint when OCR determines that the terms of the agreement have been satisfied.

Thank you for the cooperation that you and your staff extended to OCR staff in resolving this complaint. If you have any questions, you may contact Amy Kim, attorney, by telephone at (206) 607-1621 or by e-mail at amy.kim@ed.gov.

Sincerely,

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Susan Read
Team Leader

Enclosure: Voluntary Resolution Agreement

cc: Randy Dorn, Superintendent of Public Instruction
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX, Assistant General Counsel, Office of the General Counsel