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**MEMORANDUM**

TO: State Board of Education

FROM: Michael P. Flanagan, Chairman 

SUBJECT: Report on the Lenawee Intermediate School District Plan for the Delivery of Special Education Programs and Services

Pursuant to Section 380.1711 of the School Code of 1976, each Intermediate School District (ISD) must develop, establish, continually evaluate, and modify its Plan for the Delivery of Special Education Programs and Services (Plan). Approval indicates that the ISD's and local constituent districts' special education programs and services described in the Plan meet standards which are consistent with federal and state requirements. Approval also allows ISDs to receive reimbursement pursuant to the State School Aid Act.

Staff has reviewed, and I have approved, the Lenawee Intermediate School District Plan for the Delivery of Special Education Programs and Services. Attachment A is a summary of the changes from the previously approved Lenawee Intermediate School District Plan.

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LENAWEE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT PLAN FOR DELIVERY OF SPECIAL  
EDUCATION PROGRAMS AND SERVICES

**SUMMARY**

- The procedures used to advise and inform special education opportunities and obligations were updated to outline current practices.
- Revised outreach methods and activities.
- The special education programs reflect the types and locations of programs throughout the Lenawee Intermediate School District.
- A description of R 340.1832(e) alternative special education programs and services were revised to include previously approved waivers (see Appendix A).
- Two new Transition Programs were added to R 340.1832(e) options, also within Appendix A.
- Contact information for administration of programs and services was updated.
- Paraprofessional qualifications were clarified.
- Previous Plan contained full Parent Advisory Committee bylaws. New Plan submission deletes irrelevant bylaw language.
- The section on surrogate parents now reflects how often training will occur.

Changes Under Rule 340.1832(e)  
All other parts of the rule apply with the following exceptions

Program	Level	Capacity	Rule	Assistant to be added when
340.1738 Severe Cognitive Impairment	MS/HS	Allows for 16 students @ 1x	1832(e)	2 to start; 3 <sup>rd</sup> when the 13 <sup>th</sup> student is added; additional Health Care Assistant when 15 <sup>th</sup> student is added
340.1740 Mild Cognitive Impairment	MS	Allows for a caseload of 18 students max	1832(e)	12 <sup>th</sup> student is added
	HS	Allows for a caseload of 18 students max	1832(e)	12 <sup>th</sup> student is added
340.1741 Emotional Impairment	EL	Allows for 10 students @ 1x; with a caseload of 15 students max	1832(e)	1 to start and a 2 <sup>nd</sup> when the 6 <sup>th</sup> student is added
	MS	Allows for 12 students @ 1x; with a caseload of 16 students max	1832(e)	1 to start and a 2 <sup>nd</sup> when the 11 <sup>th</sup> student is added
	HS	Allows for 12 students @ 1x; with a caseload of 16 students max	1832(e)	1 to start and a 2 <sup>nd</sup> when the 11 <sup>th</sup> student is added
340.1742 Hearing Impairment	EL	Allows for a caseload of 10 students max	1832(e)	The FTE = 5>(required)
	MS/HS	Allows for a caseload of 10 students max	1832(e)	The FTE = 5>(required)
340.1749 Teacher Consultant		Allows for a caseload of 30 students max	1832(e)	30 <sup>th</sup> student is added (required)
340.1749(a) EL Level Resource	EL	Allows for 12 students @ 1x; with a caseload of 21 students max	1832(e)	21 <sup>st</sup> student is added (required)
340.1749(b) Secondary Level Resource	MS	Allows for 15 students @ 1x; with a caseload of 23 students max	1832(e)	23 <sup>rd</sup> student is added (required)
340.1749(b) Secondary Level Resource	HS	Allows for 15 students @ 1x; with a caseload of 23 students max	1832(e)	23 <sup>rd</sup> student is added (required)
Secondary Transition Program	Secondary	Allows for 15 students @ 1x; 20 max	1832(e)	1 to start
Post-Secondary Transition Program	Post-Secondary	Allows for 18 students @ 1x; 18 max	1832(e)	1 to start