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MEMORANDUM

TO: State Board of Education

FROM: Michael P. Flanagan, Chairman 

SUBJECT: Report on a Modification to the Previously Approved Bay-Arenac 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 must develop, establish, continually evaluate, and modify its Plan for the Delivery of Special Education Programs and Services (Plan). Approval indicates that intermediate school districts' 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 intermediate school districts to receive reimbursement pursuant to the State School Aid Act.

Staff has reviewed, and I have granted approval of the Bay-Arenac Intermediate School District (ISD) Plan modification. See Attachment A for a summary of the Bay-Arenac ISD Plan modification.

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BAY-ARENAC INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT PLAN FOR
THE DELIVERY OF SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS AND SERVICES

SUMMARY

The modification adds to the Plan to specifically describe the Bay-Arenac Intermediate School District Post-Secondary Transition Program. This program offers eligible students with disabilities 18 years and older a program that addresses transition needs identified in each student's individualized education program. In addition, teacher caseload maximums and allowable teacher endorsements are defined in the description.