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MEMORANDUM

TO: Local and Intermediate School District Superintendents, Directors of Special Education, and Authorizers of Public School Academies

FROM: Venessa A. Keesler, Ph.D. 
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SUBJECT: Notification of State-Imposed Rules

The Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) requires each state that receives funds under the IDEA to identify, in writing, to local educational agencies located in the state any such rule, regulation, or policy as a state-imposed requirement that is not required by the IDEA and federal regulations (20 U.S.C. 1407(a); 34 CFR § 300.199). This is only a notification and requires no action on the part of the recipient. The following are Michigan's state-imposed requirements:

Michigan Provides Programs and Services Birth to Age 26

R 340.1702
R 340.1711(1)
R 340.1733(b)-(e)
R 340.1862
MCL 380.1711(1)(f)

Michigan Has Established Specific Timelines

R 340.1721
R 340.1721b
R 340.1723c(2)
R 340.1724f(8)
R 340.1746(a)
R 340.1757(a)

Caseload and Class Size Limits

R 90340.1733(j)
R 340.1738 – R 340.1748
R 340.1749 – R 340.1749c
R 340.1754
R 340.1756 – R 340.1758

Required Multidisciplinary Evaluation Team Members

R 340.1705 – R 340.1710
R 340.1713 – R 340.1717

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**Specific Minimum Standards for
Program Length**

R 340.1738(b)
R 340.1748(2)
R 340.1754(e)
R 340.1755(c)

**Short-Term Objectives and Extended
School Year Services**

R 340.1721e(1)(a)(c)(2)

Parent Advisory Committee

R 340.1838

Specific Information Given to Parents

R 340.1723c(1)(c)(d)

Intermediate School District Plans

R 340.1831 – R 340.1837

Auxiliary Services

R 340.291 – R 340.295

If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Sheryl Diamond, Supervisor,
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c: Michigan Education Alliance