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VIA EMAIL AND CERTIFIED MAIL

James T. Johnson, III, Administrator

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James T. Johnson, III

1430 K Street, Suite 2408

RE: Pending Corrective Actions Issued to Berkeley Unified School

Dear Mr. Johnson:

On behalf of Disability Rights Education and Defense Fund (DREDF), and its Parent Training and Information Unit (PTI), I am writing to request information about your July

In July 2014, Berkeley Unified School District (BUSD) is aware of a number of students

... for all teachers and ... you have required, not a complete set of training materials

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Further Compliance Concerns

... 34 C.F.R. § 300.8, including ...

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A. Determining eligibility under each condition listed in 34 C.F.R. § 300.8, including ...
... and ensuring determinations are by IEP team decision, not ...

B. Conducting appropriate assessments, including independent educational ...

Evaluations

Provide appropriate written notices, including all legally required elements.

Ensure that non-eligible students are not placed in special education.

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providing effective Positive Behavioral Intervention Services (PBIS)

N. Offering and pro

is to promote the use of positive methods of addressing

at all staff across all schools

Providing Data Analyzed in a venue is when students are not doing well

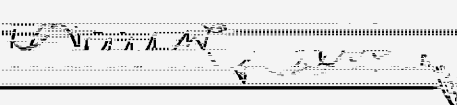
at school night

the all of the computer courses

As you can see, this is a long list. We call your attention to these specific areas

Please contact us directly with any

Signature



Larisa Cummings, Staff Attorney

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Unified School District

cc: Donald Evans, Superintendent Berkeley

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CALIFORNIA
DEPARTMENT OF
EDUCATION

July 1, 2014

* * * Superintendent

2020 Bonar Street, Suite 321

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...to question the efficacy of Berkeley's internal child find training"

Donald Evans, Superintendent

July 2014

On September 29, 2014, the District shall provide evidence it has conducted a

5052. Adequate evidence shall be used to ensure that the program is in compliance with

particulars of the following: (a) the

Evidence of required corrective actions shall be sent to:

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Technical Assistance Unit (TAU)

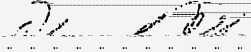
Focused Monitoring and

1430 N. Street, Sacramento, CA 95817

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If you have any questions regarding this letter please contact Shir

sincerely,



James T. Johnson III, Administrator

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CASE NO. 001010

v.

BERKELEY UNIFIED SCHOOL

DISTRICT

DECISION

receiving educational benefit.³⁶ Student's report cards documented her progress. None of

diagnosis of dyslexia in ... of math and reading instruction, and the significance of ...

... of the law with Berkeley team members ...

Berkeley's psych-educational report addressed the first question to be ...

... and especially emphasized the need to identify ...

... and to provide ...

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... identifying the source of students' anxiety in the academic setting, therefore, that students' anxiety may have been triggered by the transition to a new environment.

53 Mr. Graham held the opinion that dyslexia could not constitute a processing