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MEMORANDUM

DATE: February 11, 2014

TO: District School Superintendents
Charter School Directors

FROM: Pam Stewart 

SUBJECT: 2013-14 Calculations of Reductions to Class Size Operating Funds (Prior to Appeals)

Attached are the calculations of reductions to class size operating funds based on the compliance summaries that were provided to you on December 4, 2013. Section 1003.03(4)(a), Florida Statutes (F.S.), requires a reduction in class size categorical funding for districts and charter schools that are not in compliance with the class size requirements established by the Florida Constitution. Attachment 1 is the reduction calculation, prior to appeals, for traditional public schools; Attachment 2 is the reduction calculation, prior to appeals, for charter schools; and Attachment 3 is the reduction calculation, prior to appeals, for district-operated schools of choice.

Section 1003.03(4)(c), F.S., authorizes the commissioner to recommend to the Legislative Budget Commission by February 15, 2014, an alternate reduction amount if there is evidence that class size requirements were not met despite appropriate efforts to do so or because of an extreme emergency. Appeals have been received, and documentation of each school's extenuating circumstances will be reviewed.

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After completion of the appeals process, up to 25 percent of the reductions will be reallocated to traditional public schools, charter schools and district-operated schools of choice that are in compliance with class size requirements. A school district's traditional public schools and district-operated schools of choice must be in compliance to be eligible for a reallocation in either category. The remaining balance will be restored to traditional public schools, charter schools and district-operated schools of choice that are not in compliance with class size requirements, but have submitted a certified plan by February 1, 2014, explaining the actions the school will take to ensure compliance by October 2014. Please note that the reduction amount for each category of schools (i.e., traditional public schools, charter schools, district-operated schools of choice) is independent of the reduction amounts for the other categories of schools and will be reallocated and restored only to that category of schools. No school shall have an amount restored that is greater than the amount reduced.

If you have questions regarding the implementation of class size requirements, please call Linda Champion at 850-245-0406.

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Attachment 1 – Preliminary Reduction Calculation for Traditional Public Schools
Attachment 2 – Preliminary Reduction Calculation for Charter Schools
Attachment 3 – Preliminary Reduction Calculation for District-Operated Schools of Choice

cc: District Finance Officers

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**2013-14 Class Size Reduction Summary
Traditional Public Schools
Prior to Appeals**

District	Grades	Grades	Grades	Total
	PK-3 -1-	4-8 -2-	9-12 -3-	
1 Alachua	-	-	-	-
2 Baker	-	-	-	-
3 Bay	-	-	-	-
4 Bradford	6,970	4,020	462	11,452
5 Brevard	434,743	223,307	25,227	683,277
6 Broward	-	-	-	-
7 Calhoun*	-	-	-	-
8 Charlotte	-	-	-	-
9 Citrus	-	-	-	-
10 Clay*	-	-	-	-
11 Collier*	-	-	-	-
12 Columbia	308,545	121,602	35,350	465,497
13 Miami-Dade	1,822,176	1,687,221	577,192	4,086,589
14 DeSoto	-	-	-	-
15 Dixie*	-	-	-	-
16 Duval	1,696,684	767,617	271,471	2,735,772
17 Escambia	-	2,750	55,445	58,195
18 Flagler*	-	-	-	-
19 Franklin	-	2,539	-	2,539
20 Gadsden	-	-	-	-
21 Gilchrist	28,375	32,925	-	61,300
22 Glades	24,654	36,012	-	60,666
23 Gulf*	-	-	-	-
24 Hamilton	103,742	45,091	17,450	166,283
25 Hardee	-	7,332	-	7,332
26 Hendry	146,774	61,193	15,259	223,226
27 Hernando	-	-	-	-
28 Highlands	145,646	47,514	8,207	201,367
29 Hillsborough	-	-	-	-
30 Holmes*	-	-	-	-
31 Indian River	3,574	-	-	3,574
32 Jackson	-	-	-	-
33 Jefferson	-	388	-	388
34 Lafayette*	-	-	-	-
35 Lake	-	-	-	-
36 Lee	-	-	-	-
37 Leon	-	-	-	-
38 Levy*	-	-	-	-
39 Liberty	-	-	-	-
40 Madison	-	-	385	385
41 Manatee	-	22,874	2,694	25,568
42 Marion	3,594,286	562,425	262,867	4,419,578
43 Martin	-	-	-	-
44 Monroe*	-	-	-	-
45 Nassau	-	-	-	-
46 Okaloosa	-	-	-	-
47 Okeechobee*	-	-	-	-
48 Orange	-	-	-	-
49 Osceola	-	-	-	-
50 Palm Beach	1,468	3,607	-	5,075
51 Pasco*	-	-	-	-
52 Pinellas	-	-	-	-
53 Polk	-	-	-	-
54 Putnam	259,014	67,428	46,980	373,422
55 St. Johns	-	-	-	-
56 St. Lucie	-	-	-	-
57 Santa Rosa	308,374	194,456	45,412	548,242
58 Sarasota	-	-	-	-
59 Seminole	-	-	-	-
60 Sumter	-	-	-	-
61 Suwannee	46,246	96,445	38,445	181,136
62 Taylor	-	-	-	-
63 Union	82,132	9,549	3,402	95,083
64 Volusia	-	-	-	-
65 Wakulla	-	-	-	-
66 Walton	303,566	121,777	5,093	430,436
67 Washington*	-	-	-	-
69 FAMU Lab School*	-	-	-	-
70 FAU - Palm Beach*	-	-	-	-
74 UF Lab School*	-	-	-	-
State	9,316,969	4,118,072	1,411,341	14,846,382

* All schools designated as district-operated schools of choice.

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**2013-14 Class Size Reduction Summary
Charter Schools
Prior to Appeals**

District	School Number	School Name	Grades	Grades	Grades	Total	
			PK-3 -1-	4-8 -2-	9-12 -3-		-4-
1	ALACHUA	961	MICANOPY MIDDLE SCHOOL, INC.	-	4,461	-	4,461
1	ALACHUA	971	HOGGETOWNE MIDDLE SCHOOL	-	38,202	-	38,202
1	ALACHUA	981	HEALTHY LEARNING ACADEMY CHART	7,473	-	-	7,473
5	BREVARD	6501	PALM BAY ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOO	13,552	-	-	13,552
5	BREVARD	6509	ROYAL PALM CHARTER SCHOOL	15,244	-	-	15,244
6	BROWARD	5151	SOMERSET ACADEMY MIDDLE SCHOOL	-	41,566	-	41,566
6	BROWARD	5421	ALPHA INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY	2,235	-	-	2,235
6	BROWARD	5431	THE OBAMA ACADEMY FOR BOYS	53,298	-	-	53,298
6	BROWARD	5434	THE RED SHOE CHARTER SCHOOL FO	60,063	-	-	60,063
12	COLUMBIA	402	BELMONT ACADEMY	-	535	-	535
13	DADE	7059	MIAMI ARTS CHARTER	-	13,036	-	13,036
16	DUVAL	1201	RIVER CITY SCIENCE ACADEMY	-	12,003	-	12,003
16	DUVAL	1211	TIGER ACADEMY	6,797	-	-	6,797
16	DUVAL	5411	DUVAL CHARTER SCHOOL AT WESTSI	2,107	17,365	-	19,472
17	ESCAMBIA	2108	PENSACOLA BEACH CHARTER SCHOOL	-	7,057	-	7,057
19	FRANKLIN	9009	APALACHICOLA BAY CHARTER SCHOO	20,939	-	-	20,939
36	LEE	4103	GATEWAY CHARTER ELEMENTARY SCH	141,291	2,890	-	144,181
41	MANATEE	2121	MANATEE CHARTER SCHOOL	82,768	-	-	82,768
41	MANATEE	2161	VISIBLE MEN ACADEMY	20,478	-	-	20,478
42	MARION	9670	MARION CHARTER SCHOOL	-	11,465	-	11,465
48	ORANGE	74	WORKFORCE ADVANTAGE ACADEMY CH	-	-	1,119	1,119
48	ORANGE	155	PINECREST PREPARATORY CHARTER	6,787	-	-	6,787
48	ORANGE	185	RENAISSANCE CHARTER SCHOOL AT	119,642	-	-	119,642
48	ORANGE	203	PINECREST CREEK CHARTER	14,362	-	-	14,362
48	ORANGE	204	RENAISSANCE CHARTER SCHOOL AT	79,271	-	-	79,271
50	PALM BEACH	642	DAYSTAR ACADEMY OF EXCEL CHART	6,940	-	-	6,940
50	PALM BEACH	1461	INLET GROVE COMMUNITY HIGH SCH	-	-	4,349	4,349
50	PALM BEACH	2661	JOSEPH LITTLES-NGUZO SABA	15,467	-	-	15,467
50	PALM BEACH	3382	GLADES ACADEMY ELEMENTARY SCHO	7,352	-	-	7,352
50	PALM BEACH	4000	RENAISSANCE CHARTER SCHOOL AT	2,081	-	-	2,081
66	WALTON	1111	WALTON ACADEMY, INC.	-	3,253	-	3,253

State

678,147

151,833

5,468

835,448

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District-Operated Schools of Choice
Prior to Appeals**

District	School Number	School Name	Grades	Grades	Grades	Total
			PK-3 -1-	4-8 -2-	9-12 -3-	-4-
5 BREVARD	2042	W. MELBOURNE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	2,474	-	-	2,474
6 BROWARD	111	HOLLYWOOD HILLS ELEM. SCHOOL	76,579	-	-	76,579
6 BROWARD	161	WEST HOLLYWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHO	5,945	7,765	-	13,710
6 BROWARD	201	BENNETT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	-	2,064	-	2,064
6 BROWARD	341	BETHUNE MARY M ELEMENTARY SCHO	-	31,904	-	31,904
6 BROWARD	491	HARBORDALE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	-	5,005	-	5,005
6 BROWARD	711	ORANGE BROOK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	-	5,640	-	5,640
6 BROWARD	941	PLANTATION ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	-	2,543	-	2,543
6 BROWARD	1171	SUNSHINE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	-	11,005	-	11,005
6 BROWARD	1271	NOVA DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER ELEM	12,376	-	-	12,376
6 BROWARD	1321	SHERIDAN PARK ELEMENTARY SCHL	-	12,489	-	12,489
6 BROWARD	1391	LAUDERHILL MIDDLE SCHOOL	-	-	1,145	1,145
6 BROWARD	1611	MARTIN LUTHER KING ELEMENTARY	-	18,271	-	18,271
6 BROWARD	1971	JAMES S. HUNT ELEMENTARY SCHO	3,067	-	-	3,067
6 BROWARD	2011	CORAL COVE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	-	1,133	-	1,133
6 BROWARD	2541	FLAMINGO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	6,123	-	-	6,123
6 BROWARD	2641	CENTRAL PARK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	30,333	22,780	-	53,113
6 BROWARD	2891	RIVERGLADES ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	34,523	-	-	34,523
6 BROWARD	3001	WALTER C. YOUNG MIDDLE SCHOOL	-	55,040	-	55,040
6 BROWARD	3031	RIVERSIDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	36,769	-	-	36,769
6 BROWARD	3461	EAGLE POINT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	23,373	-	-	23,373
6 BROWARD	3661	SUNSET LAKES ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	-	7,892	-	7,892
16 DUVAL	311	JULIA LANDON COLLEGE PREPARTOR	-	14,324	-	14,324
16 DUVAL	2671	LAVILLA SCHOOL OF THE ARTS	-	81,846	-	81,846
20 GADSDEN	9108	DROP BACK IN ACADEMY	-	-	12,635	12,635
30 HOLMES	41	BETHLEHEM HIGH SCHOOL	93,591	-	-	93,591
38 LEVY	41	CEDAR KEY HIGH SCHOOL	22,184	-	-	22,184
38 LEVY	241	CHIEFLAND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	10,705	-	-	10,705
41 MANATEE	381	ROBERT H. PRINE ELEM. SCHOOL	27,605	-	-	27,605
41 MANATEE	751	ROWLETT MAGNET ELEMENTARY SCHO	-	8,341	-	8,341
41 MANATEE	2073	Y TECHNICALOGICAL HIGH SCHOOL	-	-	9,516	9,516
42 MARION	291	MADISON ST ACAD OF VISUAL PERF	129,223	-	-	129,223
42 MARION	311	DR N H JONES ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	85,585	-	-	85,585
47 OKEECHOBEE	101	OKEECHOBEE HIGH SCHOOL	-	-	62,092	62,092
51 PASCO	331	GULF HIGH SCHOOL	-	439	-	439
59 SEMINOLE	271	GOLDSBORO ELEMENTARY MAGNET	24,140	-	-	24,140
65 WAKULLA	15	RIVERSINK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	2,070	-	-	2,070
74 UF LAB SCH	391	P.K. YONGE DEVELOPMENTAL RESEA	-	435	-	435

State

626,665 288,916 85,388 1,000,969