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TO: Members, State Board of Education
FROM: David C. Hespe, Commissioner
SUBJECT: Certification of School Districts

Pursuant to the provisions of the Quality Single Accountability Continuum (QSAC), N.J.S.A. 18A:7A-14 and N.J.A.C. 6A:30, the executive county superintendents have conducted 48 evaluations since the last State Board meeting: 29 full reviews and 19 interim reviews. [Appendix A](#) lists the districts and their most recent QSAC scores.

DISTRICTS BEING RECOMMENDED FOR CERTIFICATION – ACTION NEEDED

As a result of the interim review, 20 of the districts have scored 80 percent or above in all five QSAC areas. Therefore, I am recommending that you approve these districts for certification for a period of three years, pursuant to the date of the QSAC findings letter that was issued to each district.

DISTRICTS BELOW 80% IN ONE OR MORE QSAC AREAS:

The remaining 28 districts scored below 80% in one or more QSAC areas and will continue to implement QSAC improvement plans to address deficient indicators. Following plan implementation, the executive county superintendent will conduct another interim progress review; you will be kept informed of the district's progress on a regular basis.

DCH:RLB:PJC:district certification/june
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