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Keywords: Supplemental Educational Services (SES)
Attention: Superintendents, Treasurers, and Consolidated Application Contacts
Summary: SES Effectiveness Report Tool available, deadline **June 18, 2010 at 5:00 pm**; Approved SES Provider Data;

FYI

Notice of Intent to Apply as a Supplemental Educational Service (SES) Provider

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Last year, Secretary Arne Duncan invited States to request waivers of certain statutory and regulatory requirements under Title I, Part A of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (ESEA). Dr. Thelma Melendez de Santa Ana, Ph.D., Assistant Secretary for the Office of Elementary and Secondary Education, pursuant to the authority that has been delegated to her under section 9401 of the ESEA, is now inviting States to request two of those waivers for the 2010-2011 school year (see http://www.ed.gov/policy/elsec/guid/secletter/090401.html for a copy of the letter).

As a result, the Ohio Department of Education (ODE) is currently awaiting approval from the United States Department of Education (USDOE) for its request for a waiver of the provision that prohibits a State Educational Agency (SEA) from approving as a provider of supplemental educational services (SES) a school identified for improvement, corrective action, or restructuring or a Local Educational Agency (LEA) identified for improvement or corrective action (34 C.F.R. § 200.47(b)(1)(iv)(A), (B)).

In the interim, ODE will begin implementing the process that was established last year for eligible districts and schools to apply to become SES providers under this waiver. The first step in this process is for eligible schools and districts to submit a Notice of Intent to Apply to Become an SES Provider. Eligible LEAs or schools are those in District Improvement or School Improvement status who are not already SES Providers selected through last year's waiver process.
Only those districts and schools that have a Notice of Intent to Apply to Become an SES Provider on file at ODE by May 26, 2010 will be eligible to apply.
To indicate intent to apply to become an approved SES provider, please fill out and send the appropriate attached Notice of Intent to Apply, signed by the Treasurer and Superintendent, to Kim Zwayer in the Office of Federal Programs no later than May 26, 2010. To learn more and read the entire notice, please click here:

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Supplemental Educational Services (SES) Effectiveness Reports, Provider Data

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1. LEAs are required to electronically submit an Effectiveness Report (ER) for each state-approved provider with which the LEA has a contractual agreement for providing Supplemental Educational Services (SES). The deadline to submit an ER to ODE is **Friday, June 18, 2010**, at **5 p.m**.

   To submit an ER for a SES Provider, a district user must have a SAFE Account and one of the following roles:
   - Superintendent
   - Treasurer
   - Coordinator-Title I Programs
   - Coordinator- Federal Programs

   To access the SES system, users must log into their SAFE Account at https://safe.ode.state.oh.us/portal/default.asp and click *SES* on the Account Maintenance page.

   For more information on using the online tool, please click here:
   https://ccip.ode.state.oh.us/DocumentLibrary/ViewDocument.aspx?DocumentKey=66154

2. In an effort to help LEAs comply with Sections G-10 through G-13 of the U.S. Department of Education Supplemental Educational Services *Non-Regulatory Guidance* (January 2009), ODE has provided an spreadsheet with most of the required data elements at:
   https://ccip.ode.state.oh.us/DocumentLibrary/ViewDocument.aspx?DocumentKey=69575

Reminder: Send copies of required parent notification letters and SES provider information lists to ODE prior to the start date of the (10-11) school year. You may email a copy of your letter to PSC_SES@ode.state.oh.us