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IMPORTANT MONITORING INFORMATION

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Sent Via Email marco.lara@stisd.net

Dr. Marco Lara, Superintendent South Texas Independent School District 7001 E EXPY 83 Mercedes, TX 78570

Subject: Notification of Correction of Noncompliance

Dear Dr. Marco Lara:

The purpose of this correspondence is to notify the South Texas Independent School District (ISD) of the correction of noncompliance identified in the Cyclical Desk Review.

South Texas ISD received notification of noncompliance in a letter dated 4/30/2024 listing the following areas of noncompliance:

- IEP Development: Present Levels of Academic and Functional Performance **34 Code of Federal Regulations § 300.320(a)(1)**
- IEP Development: Measurable Annual Goals 34 CFR §300.320 (a)(2)(i)
- Transition: Measurable Postsecondary Goals
 19 Texas Academic Code § 89.1055 (j)(1); 34 CFR § 300.320(b)(1)
- Transition: Transfer of Rights
- 19 TAC §89.1049(a); Texas Education Code § 29.017(c)

A plan for correction of the noncompliance was included in your corrective action plan. Subsequently, the local education agency (LEA) was required to submit documentation to the Texas Education Agency (TEA) verifying correction for the abovementioned noncompliance. The documentation submitted by the LEA indicated that these areas of Dr. Marco Antonio, Superintendent South Texas Independent School District (ISD)

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noncompliance have been addressed, and the noncompliance has been corrected. Therefore, no further action on these issues is required at this time.

If you have questions regarding this correspondence, please contact Megan Bodish in the TEA Division of Monitoring, Review, and Support at (512) 463-9889 or by e-mail at <u>Megan.Bodish@tea.texas.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

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