IMPORTANT ACCREDITATION INFORMATION

<APPROPRIATE SALUTATION>

Subject: Assignment of Accreditation Status to the <DISTRICT NAME>

The purpose of this letter is to inform you that the 2019-2020 accreditation status of the <DISTRICT NAME> is Not Accredited-Revoked. Under state law, the accreditation statuses that may be assigned to districts include Accredited, Accredited-Warned, Accredited-Probation, and Not Accredited-Revoked. A status of Not Accredited-Revoked means that a district exhibits deficiencies in performance that have led to revocation of the district's accreditation status. A Not Accredited-Revoked status means that the TEA no longer recognizes the district as a Texas public school. Districts with an accreditation status below Accredited also may be subject to additional accreditation sanctions as referenced in statute and rule.

The <DISTRICT NAME> has been assigned a **Not Accredited-Revoked** status due to the ratings assigned to the district in the state's <ACADEMIC ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM AND/OR FINANCIAL ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM.> Specifically, the <DISTRICT NAME> was assigned <DESCRIBE ACTUAL RATINGS ASSIGNED TO THE DISTRICT, SUCH AS, "A 2016 AND 2017 FINANCIAL ACCOUNTABILITY RATING OF F-SUBSTANDARD ACHIEVEMENT AND A 2018 AND 2019 ACADEMIC ACCOUNTABILITY RATING OF F.">

The district is taking the following steps to address the areas of identified deficiency. <INCLUDE A DESCRIPTION OF CURRENT INFORMATION PERTINENT TO THE DISTRICT'S IMPROVEMENT EFFORTS, ALONG WITH INFORMATION FROM ANY DISTRICT IMPROVEMENT PLANS CURRENTLY IN FORCE.>

For more information regarding the assignment of accreditation statuses to school districts, you may access the TEA website at http://www.tea.texas.gov/accredstatus/. This website will provide you with background information as well as links to the Texas Education Code and current commissioner's rules related to accreditation.

If you have additional questions regarding the assignment of a **Not Accredited-Revoked** status to the <<u>DISTRICT NAME</u>>, or if you would like additional information about the district's ongoing improvement efforts, please contact <<u>DISTRICT CONTACT NAME AND NUMBER/EMAIL ADDRESS</u>>.

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