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COMMISSION ON
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Re: Test Claim 00-TC-16
 Modesto City School District
California English Language Development Test

Test Claim 03-TC-06
 Castro Valley Unified School District
California English Language Development Test II

Dear Ms. Higashi:

I have received your letter dated June 3, 2004 which proposes to sever a portion (certain Title 5 Regulations) of the Castro Valley test claim and consolidate only that portion with the test claim of Modesto City School District.

Castro Valley Unified School District objects to this procedure. Castro Valley believes that it would be a better procedure to consolidate the two test claims in their entirety, or not at all.

Both test claims allege identical portions of the Education Code and a ruling on those Education Code sections should be made at the same time. The proposed severance would also deprive Castro Valley of being a party to the proceedings on regulations which it has alleged as part of its test claim.

Sincerely,



Keith B. Petersen

Commission on State Mandates

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