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December 21, 1999

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And Affected State Agencies and Interested Parties (See Enclosed Mailing List)

Charter School Collective Bargaining, CSM-99-TC-05
Western Placer Unified School District, Claimant
Statutes of 1999, Chapter 828

Dear Ms. Radtkey-Gaither:

Your request for an extension of time to file comments on the above-named test claim is approved for good cause. Comments are now due on or before March 1, 2000.

Please contact Nancy Patton at (916) 323-8217 if you have questions.

Sincerely,

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PAULA HIGASHI
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Enclosure: Mailing List

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December 20, 1999,

Ms. Paula Higashi
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Sacramento, CA 958 14RE: Test Claim, *Charter School Collective Bargaining*, CSM 99-TC-05

Dear Ms. Higashi:

As requested in your letter of December 2, 1999, the Department of Finance has reviewed the test claim submitted by the Western Placer Unified School District (claimant) asking the Commission to determine whether specified costs incurred under Chapter 828, Statutes of 1999, (AB 63 1, Migden), are reimbursable State mandated costs (Claim No. CSM-99-TC-05, "*Charter School Collective Bargaining* "). However, we have concluded that we are unable to provide a recommendation of the merits of the request by January 2, 2000. This letter constitutes our request for a 60-day extension of time for good cause. We believe that the following factor satisfies the "good cause" criterion in Section 118 1.1 (g) of the Commission's regulations: the individual responsible for preparing the document has other time-limited commitments during the affected period, specifically, preparing the Governor's Budget for the January 10 constitutional deadline.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Eileen Cubanski at (916) 445-0328 or James Apps, state mandates claims coordinator for the Department of Finance, at (916) 445-8913.

Sincerely,

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