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Department of Education
Office of the Secretary
Attn: Regulation Review
401 Federal Street, Suite 2
Dover, DE 19901

RE: 23 DE Reg. 507/14 DE Admin. Code 614 [DOE Proposed Uniform Definitions for Student Conduct Which May Result in Alternative Placement or Expulsion Regulation (Jan. 1, 2020)]

Dear Secretary Bunting:

The Governor's Advisory Council for Exceptional Citizens (GACEC) has reviewed the Department of Education (DOE) proposal to amend 14 DE Admin. Code 614 Uniform Definitions for Student Conduct Which May Result in Alternative Placement or Expulsion. None of the proposed amendments to the existing regulations are substantive. However, Council would ask that the DOE review the amendment for consistency in punctuation and capitalization.

Thank you for the opportunity to share our support of the proposed amendment and our observation and suggestion with you. Please contact me or Wendy Strauss at the GACEC office if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Ann C Fisher

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Chairperson

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