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TO: The Honorable Chris Christie, Governor
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FROM: Christopher D. Cerf, Commissioner
Secretary, State Board of Education

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SUBJECT: **Cancellation of the November 7, 2012 Monthly Public Business Meeting**

Please be advised that, at the direction of State Board of Education President Arcelio Aponte, the monthly public business meeting and public testimony scheduled for Wednesday, November 7, 2012, in the First Floor Conference Room at the New Jersey Department of Education, 100 Riverview Plaza, Trenton, NJ, has been cancelled. The monthly public business meeting and public testimony will be rescheduled to November 14, 2012.

President Aponte and I released the following joint statement to explain the reason for the cancellation. "In the aftermath of Hurricane Sandy, our most important priority is ensuring our communities are able to regain a sense of normalcy, which includes getting our schools back up and running as soon as possible. As such, we will postpone the State Board meeting until next week so we can focus all State resources on the needs of our schools and students during this difficult time."

If you have any questions concerning these matters, please contact the State Board Office at 609-984-6024.

This notice is made pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Act (Chapter 231, P.L. 1975).