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Mr. Charlie Michels, Executive Director  
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RE: 14 DE Reg. 980 [Proposed School Social Worker Regulation]

Dear Mr. Michels:

The State Council for Persons with Disabilities (SCPD) has reviewed the Professional Standards Board's [in collaboration with the Department of Education (DOE)] proposal to adopt a new school social worker regulation "to follow current formatting trends and to include references to 1505 Standard Certificate". The proposed regulation was published as 14 DE Reg. 980 in the April 1, 2011 issue of the Register of Regulations. The new regulation does not change the existing substantive standards applicable to school social workers. It does cross reference the 1505 Standard Certificate standards.

SCPD endorses the proposed regulation.

Thank you for your consideration and please contact SCPD if you have any questions or comments regarding our position or observations on the proposed regulation.

Sincerely,

Daniese McMullin-Powell, Chairperson  
State Council for Persons with Disabilities

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