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To: District Fiscal Directors
Charter School Directors

From: Cathy McKim

Re: Exemption from March 2012 to April 2012 Apportionment Deferral

The purpose of this email is to notify you that the California Department of Education (CDE) has posted a letter and other materials related to the cash deferral that will occur in March 2012. The letter contains time-sensitive information about application requirements and deadlines for those school districts, charter schools, and county offices of education that are eligible to apply for an exemption from this deferral.

Senate Bill (SB) 82 (Chapter 12, Statutes of 2011) amended *Government Code* Section 16326 to defer payments of fiscal year 2011-12 K-12 apportionments from March 2012 to April 2012. SB 82 provides the opportunity for school districts, charter schools, and county offices of education to apply for an exemption from this deferral. Local educational agencies (LEAs) that were previously approved for exemption from the March 2012 to April 2012 deferral during the June 2011 application process are already exempt and do not need to re-apply.

Please visit the CDE Web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/fg/fi/ir/mardef112.asp> to find a copy of the letter, application forms, a list of previously exempted LEAs, and helpful links and information.

Please share this information as deemed appropriate.