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March 11, 2016

Via Electronic Mail

Dr. B.J. Worthington, Director of Schools
Clarksville-Montgomery County School System
621 Gracey Avenue
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Dear Dr. Worthington:

I am in receipt of your letter requesting a waiver of the class size average for Career and Technical Education classes found in T.C.A. §49-1-104 for the Clarksville-Montgomery County School System for the 2016-2017 school year.

The commissioner's waiver authority under T.C.A. §49-1-201(d) is limited by T.C.A. §49-1-104(a), which states that "neither the commissioner nor the state board of education shall grant waivers from the maximum class sizes established in this section."

With the understanding that none of the Career and Technical Education classes in the Clarksville-Montgomery County School System will exceed 25, the maximum number of students per class specified in the above referenced law, your request for a waiver of the class size average is granted for the 2016-2017 school year.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Candice McQueen".

Dr. Candice McQueen



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January 15, 2016

Dr. Candice McQueen
Tennessee Commissioner of Education
State Department of Education
710 James Robertson Parkway
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RE: Waiver of Career Technical Education Class Size

Dr. McQueen:

I am requesting a waiver for the Clarksville-Montgomery County School System for the 2016-2017 school year for the class size average for Career Technical Education (CTE) classes found in Tennessee Code Annotated §49-1-104 and § 49-1-104 (a).

Thank you for the opportunity to submit this request.

Best regards,

B. J. Worthington, Ed. D.
Director of Schools