

## THE STATE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT / THE UNIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK / ALBANY, NY 12234

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Hayley B. Sanon Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary and Acting Assistant Secretary Office of Elementary and Secondary Education

Dear Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary Sanon:

The New York State Education Department (NYSED) is requesting a Tydings waiver for the period of FFY 2023-24 Title I-A funds awarded under Section 4201 of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (ESEA), as amended, until September 30, 2026. This request to extend the obligation period is submitted pursuant to section 421(b) of the General Education Provisions Act (GEPA). This permits NYSED, in accordance with the criteria it develops, to expend the remaining FY 2023 awarded balance related to this waiver request.

The information needed to process this request is as follows:

New York State FY 2023 Title I-A Basic Grants to States Grant S010A230032		
1	Grant Award amount	1,454,589,699.00
2	Current Expenditures (net drawdowns)	1,369,860,230.25
3	Current balance (amount not drawn down)	84,729,468.75
4	Percent of grant award amount not drawn down	5.82%
5	Requested amount to be drawn down	84,729,468.75
6	Revised expenditures (net drawdowns) if request is approved	1,454,589,699.00
7	Revised balance if request is approved	0
8	Time period requested to complete draw down (number of days or a specific end date)	9/30/26

The NYS Education Department has provided public notice regarding the extended waiver request by publicly posting information regarding the waiver request on its website (see <a href="https://www.nysed.gov/essa/assessment-and-accountability-waivers">https://www.nysed.gov/essa/assessment-and-accountability-waivers</a>).

Please feel free to contact Tammy Thayer by email at tammy.thayer@nysed.gov if you have any questions regarding this request. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Christina Coughlin Chief Financial Officer