William H. Johnson EdD State Monitor Hempstead Union Free School District 185 Peninsula Blvd Hempstead, New York 11550

December 1, 2021

Dr. Betty Rosa Commissioner of Education New York Education Department 89 Washington Avenue Albany, New York 12234

Dear Commissioner Rosa:

In accordance with Chapter 19 of the laws of 2020, I am submitting my Semiannual Report for January 1, 2021 through June 30, 2021.

The attached Report summarizes my impressions of the work done by the Hempstead Public schools in response to the academic and fiscal recommendations approved by the Hempstead Board of Education and you and implemented during the 2020-2021 school year. This report also reflects my review of the Annual Report of the Hempstead School District.

Thank you for your continued support of the Monitors and the Hempstead Public Schools.

Sincerely,

William H. Johnson EdD

Cc: Dr. Kimberly Young-Wilkens
Mr. Ira Schwartz
Ms. Olga Young, President, Hempstead Board of Education
Ms. Regina Armstrong, Superintendent, Hempstead Public Schools