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TO: District Superintendents
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FROM: Christopher D. Cerf
Acting Commissioner

SUBJECT: 2012 School Election – Change in September Special Election Date

The scheduled date of the 2012 September special school election is the last Tuesday, September 25, 2012, which is the evening before Yom Kippur. *N.J.S.A. 19:60-2* gives the Commissioner the authority to change any date for a special school election date if it coincides with a period of religious observance.

In examining possible alternate dates, I have taken into consideration all religious observances during the time preceding September 25 and subsequent to that date.

After careful consideration, I am changing the special election date to Monday, September 24, 2012. I will notify county clerks, boards of election and superintendents of election. When the 2012 budget and election calendar is distributed, it will reflect the revised special election date.

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