

Duration of Waiver: Three years.

Date Granted: March 27, 1997.

(12) *Name of Applicant:* Hawaii Department of Education on behalf of Konawaena Elementary School, Honolulu, HI.

Requirement Waived: Section 1114(a)(1)(B) of the ESEA.

Duration of Waiver: Three years.

Date Granted: March 27, 1997.

(13) *Name of Applicant:* McLean County School District, Calhoun, KY.

Requirement Waived: Section 1114(a)(1)(B) of the ESEA.

Duration of Waiver: Three years.

Date Granted: April 21, 1997.

(14) *Name of Applicant:* Oregon Department of Education, Salem, OR.

Requirements Waived: Sections 3134 and 3135 of the ESEA.

Duration of Waiver: One year.

Date Granted: April 21, 1997.

(15) *Name of Applicant:* Elizabethtown Independent Schools, Elizabethtown, KY.

Requirement Waived: Section 1114(a)(1)(B) of the ESEA.

Duration of Waiver: Three years.

Date Granted: May 13, 1997.

(16) *Name of Applicant:* Hawaii Department of Education on behalf of Kealakehe Intermediate School, Honolulu, HI.

Requirement Waived: Section 1114(a)(1)(B) of the ESEA.

Duration of Waiver: Three years.

Date Granted: May 13, 1997.

(17) *Name of Applicant:* Bedford Area School District, Bedford, PA.

Requirement Waived: Section 1113(a)(2)(B) of the ESEA.

Duration of Waiver: One year.

Date Granted: June 13, 1997.

(18) *Name of Applicant:* Colorado Department of Education, Denver, CO.

Requirement Waived: Section 11004(a) of the ESEA.

Duration of Waiver: Three years.

Date Granted: June 13, 1997.

(19) *Name of Applicant:* Florida Department of Education, Tallahassee, FL.

Requirements Waived: Section 2206(b) as applied to Sections 2203(1) and 2203(2) of the ESEA.

Duration of Waiver: Three years.

Date Granted: June 13, 1997.

(20) *Name of Applicant:* Great Valley School District, Malvern, PA.

Requirement Waived: Section 1113(a)(2)(B) of the ESEA.

Duration of Waiver: Three years.

Date Granted: June 26, 1997.

(B) Waivers Approved Under the Desegregation Waiver Authority in Section 1113(a)(7) of the ESEA

(1) *Name of Applicant:* Warren Township Metropolitan School District, Indianapolis, IN.

Requirement Waived: Section 1113(a)(2)(B) of the ESEA.

Duration of Waiver: Three years.

Date Granted: June 13, 1997.

Applying for a Waiver

Requests for waivers that would be implemented and affect school-level activities beginning with the semester immediately following January 1, 1998 must be submitted to the Department in substantially approvable form no later than October 1, 1997. Requests for waivers that would be implemented and affect school-level activities beginning with the 1998-1999 school year must be submitted to the Department in substantially approvable form no later than April 1, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kathryn Doherty at the Department's Waiver Assistance Line, (202) 401-7801. The Department's Waiver Guidance, which provides examples of waivers, explains the waiver authorities in detail, and describes how to apply for a waiver, is also available at this number. The Guidance and other information on flexibility also are available at the Department's World Wide Web site at <http://www.ed.gov/flexibility>.

Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m., Eastern time, Monday through Friday.

Dated: August 28, 1997.

Marshall S. Smith,

Acting Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

The Advisory Council for School-to-Work Opportunities; Renewal

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, the Secretaries of Labor and Education have renewed the charter for the Advisory Council for School-to-Work Opportunities.

The Advisory Council for School-to-Work Opportunities will provide advice to the Departments of Education and Labor on a number of matters pertaining to implementation of the School-to-

Work Opportunities Act of 1994. The Council shall be responsible for: Assessing the progress of School-to-Work Opportunities systems development and program implementation toward achieving the goals of the School-to-Work Opportunities Initiative; providing feedback and making recommendations to the Steering Committee regarding the progress and direction of implementation of the School-to-Work Opportunities Initiative; reporting periodically to the Steering Committee on emerging issues, actions, findings and advice; and providing input into policy issues, as requested.

The Council will meet two times a year. It will be comprised of approximately 40 members, with the following representation: educators (seven), employers (six), labor (six), community groups (five), the general public (four), students (two, one secondary and one post-secondary), parents (two), State officials (four, e.g., current Governors, State legislators, State School-to-Work Opportunities officials), and local officials (four, e.g., mayors, county administrators, local School-to-Work Opportunities officials). None of these members shall be deemed to be employees of the United States.

The Council will report to the Departments of Education and Labor through the School-to-Work Opportunities Steering Committee, comprised of senior executive Federal officials from the Departments of Education and Labor. It will function solely as an advisory body and in compliance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act. Its charter will be filed under the Act fifteen (15) days from the date of publication.

Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding the renewal of The Advisory Council for School-to-Work Opportunities. Such comments should be addressed to: J.D. Hoyer, School-to-Work Office, 400 Virginia Ave., SW, Room 210, Washington, DC 20024.

Signed at Washington, DC this 27th day of August, 1997.

Richard W. Riley,

Secretary of Education.

Alexis M. Herman,

Secretary of Labor.

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