



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
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The Honorable Michael Kirst
President
California State Board of Education

The Honorable Tom Torlakson
State Superintendent of Public Instruction
California Department of Education

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Sacramento, CA 95814-5901

Dear President Kirst and State Superintendent Torlakson:

Thank you for your responses to the report of findings based on the review of the California Department of Education's (CDE) School Improvement Grants (SIG) program conducted during the week of March 7-11, 2011 by the U.S. Department of Education. Based on our review of your responses to the findings cited in the report, we are pleased to inform you that all findings have been resolved as of this date.

We look forward to continuing to partner with you to support the implementation of the SIG program in California.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

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