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Dr. Jim Buckheit, Executive Director
State Board of Education
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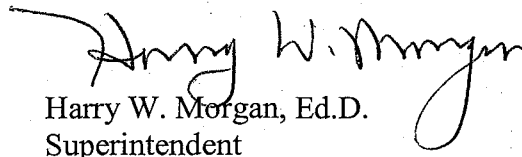
Dear Dr. Buckheit:

At the April 8, 2008 the Boyertown Area School District Board of School Directors passed the enclosed Resolution Opposing Proposed High School Graduate Competency Assessments. As you can see from the Resolution we are urging that the State Board of Education not revise the current high school graduation requirements under the Chapter 4 regulations to require students to pass a series of standardized high stakes Graduation Competency Assessments in order to get a diploma.

We would ask that you strongly consider this Resolution regarding Graduation Competency Assessments. As you know, school boards are elected to represent their constituents and our Board believes that the Boyertown Area School District residents would also oppose the passage of this proposal to enact Graduation Competency Assessments.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please feel free to contact me at 610.369.7402 if you have any questions regarding this Resolution.

Sincerely,


Harry W. Morgan, Ed.D.
Superintendent