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From: Sent: To: Subject: Miller, Sarah E. Tuesday, September 15, 2009 11:21 PM Schalles, Scott R.; Totino, Michaele; Wilmarth, Fiona E.; Cooper, Kathy; Gelnett, Wanda B. Fw: IRRC Website - New Message

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From: Independent Regulatory Review Commission To: Help Sent: Tue Sep 15 23:10:19 2009 Subject: IRRC Website - New Message



Independent Regulatory Review Commission

A new message has arrived from the IRRC Website

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Subject: opposing final form regulations 006-312

Message:

The Fox Chapel Area Branch of AAUW (American Association for University Women) formed an Education Action Committee to study state policies and actions that impact the quality of a public education in PA. Our committee opposes passing and funding the final form regulations as written. We believe the 006-312 regulations put the cart before the horse, and that the priority for education funds should be actions with a direct impact on maximizing the potential and learning experiences available to students. It's foolish to keep doing the same things and expect different outcomes. Please support effective teaching methods and ensure that state standards and local curricula are aligned with minimally acceptable skill levels and course content before creating new tests. Margaret McGrath Fox Chapel Area AAUW Education Action Committee