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MEMORANDUM NO. #2009-203

TO: School District Superintendents

FROM: Meaghan M. McClellan, Prevention Education Consultant

DATE: December 18, 2009 *MMM*

SUBJECT: Immunization Program - Public period for comment

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

The Wyoming Department of Education would like to inform school districts that:

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To obtain a copy of these Amended Rules, contact:

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Enclosure

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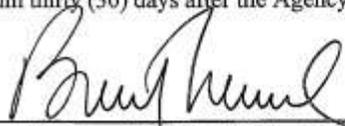
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A public hearing will be held if requested by 25 persons, by a governmental subdivision, or by an association having not less than 25 members.

The Wyoming Department of Health welcomes all comments and suggestions on these Amended Rules. Any person may urge the Agency not to adopt these Rules and may request that the Agency state its reasons for overruling the consideration urged against adoption. Written comments must be submitted to the above address no later than 5:00 p.m. on January 26, 2010.

Interested parties may request a statement of the Department's position regarding each comment and the action taken as a result of the comments prior to, or within thirty (30) days after, adoption of these Rules. Requests must be submitted to the above address. If requested, the statement will be issued by the Department within thirty (30) days after the Agency action.

Dated this 11th day of December, 2009.


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Director and State Health Officer
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