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TO: School District Superintendents
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FROM: Alan Moore, Director
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DATE: February 4, 2011

SUBJECT: 2010 PAWS Banking of Scores

TIME SENSITIVE

The Wyoming Department of Education (WDE) has received final word from the United States Department of Education regarding the banking of the 2010 Proficiency Assessments for Wyoming Students (PAWS) scores in reading, writing and mathematics. We regret to inform you that the WDE's request to allow 2010 scores of 10th grade students who scored Proficient or Advanced to be banked for 2011 Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) has been denied. Therefore, please proceed with your plans to assess all juniors on the 2011 PAWS administration.

If you have further questions, please contact Alan Moore at 307-721-1930 or amoore@educ.state.wy.us.

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