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Dear Ms. Boundy:

This letter is in response to your letter of August 17, 2011, regarding the local maintenance of

effort requirement in section 613(a)(2)(A)(iii), (B) and (C) of the Individuals with Disabilities  
Education Act (IDEA) and our response on June 16, 2011, to a question raised by Dr. Bill East