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Dr. Mary L. Young, Superintendent
Warren County Schools
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Via email: myoung@warrenk12nc.org

Dear Dr. Young:

We acknowledge receipt of the 2020-2021 Individual Class Size Waiver Request(s) received from Warren County Schools for Mariam Boyd Elementary.

G.S. 115C-301(g) prohibits the State Board of Education from granting waivers for Kindergarten through third-grade individual class size overages except under the following circumstances:

- a) Emergencies, or acts of God that impact the availability of classroom space or facilities;
- b) An unanticipated increase in student population of an individual school in excess of two percent (2%) of the average daily membership of that school;
- c) Organizational problems in geographically isolated local school administrative units in which the average daily membership is less than one and one-half per square mile;
- d) Classes organized for a solitary curricular area; or
- e) A charter school closure.

Warren County Schools requested waivers for the following school based on an unanticipated increase in student population of an individual school in excess of two percent (2%) of the average daily membership of that school as stated above. Pursuant to the SBE and School Attendance and Student Accounting Manual, the request for class size waivers is **denied** due to the excessive number of students in excess of the maximum and the unanticipated increase being less than two percent of the average daily membership.

Mariam Boyd Elementary has 1 kindergarten classes with 25 students (over by 4) and 1 kindergarten class with 24 students (over by 3).

Should you have any questions, please contact the Division of School Business, Student Accounting at studentaccounting@dpi.nc.gov.

Sincerely,

DocuSigned by:
A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Catherine Truitt".
Catherine Truitt

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