PROVISIONS FOR THE PARTICIPATION OF STUDENTS WITH HANDICAPPING CONDITIONS IN THE ACHIEVEMENT/ABILITY TESTS AND IN THE NINTH AND TWELFTH GRADE PROFICIENCY TESTS

- 1. "Students with a handicapping condition" refers explicitly to those individuals who are identified as having a handicapping condition pursuant to the provisions of Rule 3301-51-01 of the Administrative Code, which sets forth the definitions for the rules governing the education of handicapped children.
- 2. No student with a handicapping condition as defined in paragraph 1 of this policy shall be required to take, nor be prohibited from taking, the achievement/ability or proficiency tests.
- Modifications in test format and/or test administration procedures may be made in accordance with guidelines provided by the national test publisher to accommodate the needs of individual students with handicapping conditions.
- 4. Participation in the achievement/ability or proficiency tests and modifications in test format and/or test administration procedures will be addressed on each handicapped student's Individualized Education Program.
- 5. No modification shall be made in the content of any test.
- 6. Any student who is granted an exemption from the test in achievement/ability shall not be required to take the test in any of the three achievement test areas.
- 7. Any student who is granted an exemption from the proficiency test shall not be required to take the test in any of the four proficiency areas.

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