

**REQUEST TO WAIVE THE PROVISION THAT PROHIBITS AN SEA FROM GRANTING TO AN LEA A
WAIVER OF THE CARRYOVER LIMITATION MORE THAN ONCE EVERY THREE YEARS**

Ramona Coats, Team Leader
Title I, IIA, and VI
Oklahoma State Department of Education
2500 N. Lincoln Boulevard
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73105

Dear Ms. Coats:

I am writing on behalf of our district to request a waiver of the limitation in section 1127(b) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (ESEA) that prohibits a state educational agency (SEA) from granting to a local educational agency (LEA) a waiver of the carryover limitation in section 1127(a) of the ESEA more than once every three years. Section 1127(b) permits an SEA to waive the limitation in section 1127(a) once every three years if: (1) the LEA's request is reasonable and necessary; or (2) a supplemental Title I, Part A appropriation becomes available. In accordance with these provisions, I am requesting a waiver to allow our district to waive the carryover limitation of more than once every three years because of its Title I, Part A funds made available under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA), which is, by definition, a supplemental Title I, Part A appropriation. I am requesting this waiver for a period of two years to carry over fiscal year (FY) 2009 Title I, Part A funds and to carry over FY 2010 Title I, Part A funds in excess of the carryover limitation).

Please feel free to contact me by phone or e-mail at [*contact information*] if you have any questions regarding this request. Thank you for your consideration.

District _____

Superintendent's Signature _____ Date _____

Contact _____

Phone _____ E-mail _____