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TO: Senate Ways and Means Committee
House Appropriations Committee

FROM: Dr. Terry Bergeson
State Superintendent of Public Instruction

RE: Medicaid Reimbursement Report
RCW 74.09.5253 (Section 3)

The 1994 Legislature directed the Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction (OSPI) to provide the Ways and Means Committee of the Senate and Appropriations Committee of the House of Representatives, a report indicating the preliminary district-by-district participation and Medicaid payment receipts during the 2006–07 fiscal year. The report was also to indicate, for each district, the total number of special education students and the number of students eligible for Medicaid, as determined by the Department of Social and Health Services, Medical Assistance Administration (DSHS/MAA). This report has been completed, and is attached for your records.

Districts reporting no Medicaid billings for the 2006–07 school year have advised OSPI that:

- The district has no Medicaid-eligible students.
- No Medicaid eligible students have been evaluated for special education eligibility.
- Billable services provided to Medicaid eligible special education students are currently not listed on the student's individualized education program (IEP).
- The district's service providers are funded exclusively with federal dollars.

Similar data is regularly provided to staff of the House Appropriations Committee, the Senate Ways and Means Committee, OFM, and DSHS. OSPI will also deliver this report to the Office of Financial Management (OFM) and DSHS/MAA.

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Enclosure