



STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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MEMORANDUM

TO: District Superintendents
District Testing Coordinators

FROM: Molly M. Spearman
State Superintendent of Education

DATE: December 1, 2015

RE: ELA and Mathematics Assessments for Grades 3–8

The deadline for any protests to the Intent to Award a contract for “Lot 2” (ELA and Mathematics assessments for grades 3–8) to Data Recognition Corporation (DRC) expired this morning at 8:00 a.m. There are additional procurement and contract steps to be completed; however, you can inform educators in your districts that an assessment has been selected and that the contract is for up to five (5) years.

Additional information concerning the assessments and training will be coming in the near future.

While we do not yet have an 11th grade assessment selected, we will inform you as soon as we have further information.