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Commissioner

July 20, 2020

Mr. John Demanche, Executive Director
Keystone Educational Collaborative (FLLAC Collaborative)
2 Shaker Road, Bldg. D, 2nd Fl.
Shirley, MA 01464

Re: Keystone Educational Collaborative (fka FLLAC) - Amended Articles of Agreement

Dear Director Demanche:

On behalf of the Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, I am happy to inform you that I have approved the June 2020 amendment to the FLLAC Collaborative Articles of Agreement, as required by M.G.L. c. 40, § 4E, and 603 C.M.R. 50.00. Most recently amended on April 28, 2017, this June 2020 amendment reflects the board of directors' vote to change the name of the collaborative from FLLAC Education Collaborative to the Keystone Educational Collaborative (Keystone) and updates the language to be consistent with statutory changes.

Effective July 1, 2020, the membership of Keystone consists of the following member school committees: Ashburnham Westminster Regional, Ayer Shirley Regional, Clinton, Fitchburg, Gardner, Leominster, Lunenburg, North Middlesex Regional, Quabbin Regional, West Boylston, and Winchendon Public Schools.

Please inform the Keystone Board of Directors of this approval and request that they inform their member school committees. Please also assure your board of our continued support of your collaborative efforts to supplement and strengthen the programs of your member school committees.

Thank you for your assistance throughout this process. Should you have any questions, please contact Paulajo Gaines, Collaborative Coordinator, at EducationCollaborativeTeam@mass.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jeffrey C. Riley".

Jeffrey C. Riley
Commissioner of Elementary and Secondary Education

Enclosure

c: Keystone File