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Dear Private/Home School Representative:

The Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act (IDEA) requires that school systems provide information to private school administrators regarding the provision of equitable special education services to parentally-placed private school students with disabilities. Home-schooled children are considered in the same category and are also eligible for services under this provision of the law. Parentally-placed disabled children in private schools or home-schooled disabled students are not entitled to a free appropriate public education (FAPE), but the district will provide services based on a proportionate share of federal funds.

To plan appropriately for the 2022-2023 school year, we would like to meet with representatives of private/home schools located in Fannin County to explain the Child Find process and discuss how services to disabled students will be delivered. We will host this meeting on October 11, 2022 at 8:00 AM in the Fannin County Staff Development Center to explain this process and answer any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Shannon D. Miller".

Shannon D. Miller

Director of Student Services

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