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Via E-mail (dpiedra@fedflegal.org)

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Re: Cease and Desist Letter regarding "Ramadan" posters

Dear Mr. Piedra:

Please be advised that this office represents the West New York Board of Education (the "Board"). This correspondence acknowledges receipt and review of your letter dated May 29, 2019 to Clara Brito Herrera, Superintendent of Schools.

Upon information and belief, the Ramadan posters referenced in your letter were not official Board sanctioned materials. It is our understanding that the posters were student work product. Without admitting any liability, fault or wrongdoing, and without waiving any defenses and claims, please note that the matter is under review. Additionally, the poster(s) that may have been deemed legally impermissible in a public educational setting have been removed from Memorial High School. Accordingly, the alleged improper posting of materials has been remedied and the matter is now moot.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please feel free to contact this office if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

Lester E. Taylor III, Esq.

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cc: Clara Brito Herrera, Superintendent of Schools