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To whom it may concern:

In accordance with NMSA 22-15-8, the Instructional Material Bureau has completed the 2022 summer review institute. The adoption is for grades K-12 Social Studies and Arts Education instructional materials. In addition, a mid-cycle review of grades 8-12 mathematics was completed. The summer review institute was to review the instructional materials to determine their alignment with New Mexico academic content standards and criteria for determining quality. As statutorily required, the reviewers of the instructional materials were Level II and III New Mexico teachers.

The instructional materials listed as core instructional material (CIM) that scored at 90 percent or better are recommended; those that scored 80 to 89 percent are recommended with reservations; and those that scored below 80 percent are not recommended and not included on the adopted multiple list. In addition, the materials were reviewed against specific criteria to determine the extent they are culturally and linguistically relevant (CLR) for New Mexico students. Those that scored at 90 percent or higher on the CLR criteria are given specific recognition. Scores have been rounded. Materials recommended as supplementary instructional material (SIM) were not reviewed as they reinforce, enrich or enhance instruction driven by core instructional materials. Materials may be print, digital, or both.

I hereby authorize the adoption of the grades K-12 Social Studies, Arts Education, and Mathematics instructional materials to the adopted multiple list.

Respectfully,

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