



## COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

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The Honorable Charles J. Colgan  
Chairman, Senate Finance Committee  
Virginia General Assembly  
10660 Aviation Lane  
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The Honorable Lacey E. Putney  
Chairman, House Appropriations Committee  
Virginia General Assembly  
P. O. Box 127  
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Dear Senator Colgan and Delegate Putney:

Pursuant to Item 132, paragraph A.4.c.1 of Chapter 890 (2011 Virginia Acts of Assembly), the Department of Education is required to report annually any changes to the composite indices approved by the Governor and the Board of Education resulting from the consolidation of school divisions or local governments.

During the last year, no consolidations have occurred that resulted in requests to revise a local composite index. Consequently, the Governor and the Board of Education have not approved any changes to the composite indices this year. The most recent change, for the consolidation of the Clifton Forge and Alleghany County school divisions, was effective July 1, 2004.

If you have questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact Kent C. Dickey, deputy superintendent for finance and operations, at (804) 225-2025 or [Kent.Dickey@doe.virginia.gov](mailto:Kent.Dickey@doe.virginia.gov).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Patricia I. Wright".

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