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**MEMORANDUM**

To: Superintendents  
Federal Program Coordinators  
Business Managers

FROM: Melba G. Beasley, Director *MYB*  
Office of Federal Financial Management

Re: Title VI Rural and Low Income Schools Application Approval

Date: April 8, 2010

Please find enclosed a copy of your approved FY10 Title VI Rural and Low-Income Schools Program Application. The FY10 grant funds are now available. Districts may begin to charge to the award only costs resulting from obligations incurred during the **funding period of December 1, 2009 through September 30, 2011**. The LEA must liquidate all obligations incurred under the award not later than 90 days after the end of the funding period. Cite 34 CFR Section 80.23.

**Reimbursements should be made through SPS (School Payment System) no later than the 12<sup>th</sup> of the month for which the reimbursement is requested** (i.e., for expenditures incurred during the previous month, the request for reimbursement must be received in the Office of Accounting no later than the 12<sup>th</sup> of the following month).

We look forward to working with you during this grant period. If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Barbara Greene for programmatic matters at (601) 359-3499 or Elisha Campbell for fiscal matters at (601) 359-2459.

Enclosure

C: J. Martez Hill  
Quentin Ransburg

**COVER SHEET**  
**Mississippi Department of Education**  
**Rural and Low-Income Schools Program Application**  
**2009-2010**

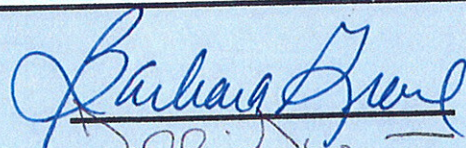
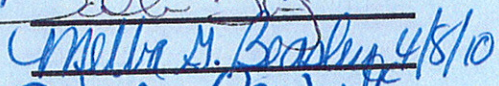

**Overview**

It is the purpose of the 'Rural Education Achievement Program' to address the unique needs of rural school districts that frequently:

- (1) Lack the personnel and resources needed to compete effectively for Federal competitive grants.
- (2) Receive formula grant allocations in amounts too small to be effective in meeting intended purposes.

<b>District Name:</b>	PICAYUNE SCHOOL DISTRICT
<b>District Code:</b>	5520
<b>District Address:</b>	706 GOODYEAR BLVD. PICAYUNE, MS 39466
<b>Allocation Amount:</b>	94,996.00
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 Mississippi Department of Education Approval  
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 Date of Approval

  
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