## Amendment to the Memorandum of Understanding between BPS and DESE

Date: March 30, 2020

WHEREAS the Governor has declared a state of emergency due to COVID-19 and has ordered a state-wide closure of K-12 schools, which currently extends to at least May 4, 2020.

WHEREAS, the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) dated March 10, 2020 between the parties permits the MOU to be amended upon the written agreement of the parties.

THEREFORE, the parties agree to amend the MOU by postponing the start of 60-day period outlined in Article 19 of the Memorandum of Understanding, to enable Boston Public Schools to focus on the needs of the school district and its students and families. The parties agree that the 60-day period will commence on May 18, 2020.

**BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS** 

03/30/2020 Date

Dr. Brenda Cassellius, Superintendent

MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF ELEMENTARY & SECONDARY EDUCATION