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DAQA-565-15

June 1, 2015

Office of Senator Edward J. Markey  
Attn: Jen Wagner  
255 Dirksen Senate Office Building  
Washington, DC 20510

Senators Markey and Boxer:

Re: AHERA Information Request Letter

This letter is in response to the letter sent to The Honorable Governor Gary Herbert which is dated March 31, 2015. The Governor's Office has asked that we send this letter directly from the Utah Department of Environmental Quality, Division of Air Quality, Air Toxics, Lead-Based Paint, and Asbestos (Utah DEQ/DAQ/ATLAS) Section that administers the AHERA Program in the State of Utah. We apologize that you will have received this letter after the requested response date of May 15, 2015, as we wanted to assure that you received the most accurate responses to your questions.

In this letter we have provided the answers to your questions, but have not included the original questions to make this letter as concise as possible. We have also added an attached spreadsheet to help provide the necessary back-up data to answer your questions. We have also included the original question numbers to assist you in identifying our response to your questions.

1. There are 178 Local Educational Agencies (LEAs) in the State of Utah that include 41 Public School Districts, 94 Charter Schools, and 43 Private/Non-Profit Schools subject to AHERA. Please see column A of the attached spreadsheet for the LEAs in Utah subject to AHERA and column B of the attached spreadsheet for the number school buildings in each LEA subject to AHERA.
2. 69 LEAs in Utah have conducted an initial asbestos inspection of all buildings owned, leased, or used as school buildings as required by AHERA. This number represents 100% of the schools built in Utah on or before October 12, 1988. Under AHERA, schools built after October 12, 1988, are not required to have an initial asbestos inspection.
3. There are 68 LEAs that still have asbestos-containing materials in buildings they currently use. See column C on the attached spreadsheet for the number of school buildings LEAs have identified as harboring asbestos containing building materials.
4. LEAs are only required to report when major fiber releases occur to the State of Utah Department

of Environmental Quality/Division of Air Quality (DEQ/DAQ). There have been very few instances (approximately 14) of major fiber releases reported to the Utah DEQ/DAQ since the original implementation of AHERA by the Utah DEQ/DAQ.

5. 70 LEAs have submitted an Operation & Maintenance (O & M) plans to the Utah DEQ/DAQ as part of the AHERA Management Plan for those schools built on or before October 12, 1988. A list of LEAs that have submitted O & M Plans to the Utah DEQ/DAQ can be found in column D of the attached spreadsheet.
6. 155 LEAs have submitted AHERA Management Plans to the Utah DEQ/DAQ.
7. 58 of the LEAs conduct periodic inspections on schools built on or before October 12, 1988. To the best of our knowledge, all LEAs conduct periodic inspections on schools built on or before October 12, 1988.
8. Inspections are typically conducted every 3-4 years for each public school district. Please see column E of the attached spreadsheet for the dates of state inspections and/or audits since 2010.
9. The best annual cost numbers for the State of Utah to implement and enforce the AHERA Program for the last 5 years have been FFY 2010 - \$207,333.99; FFY 2011 - \$154,649.39; FFY 2012 - \$209,421.60; FFY 2013 - \$307,783.53; and FFY 2014 - \$178,234.18.
10. Yes. Ten (10) public school districts have been assessed civil penalties for non-compliance with AHERA. The penalties have been assessed for repeated violations of not submitting AHERA Management Plans for new school buildings, not performing periodic inspections required by AHERA, and not performing annual notifications to parents, employees, and parent-teacher organizations.
11. No. Emergency actions taken by LEAs are usually because of improper disturbance of asbestos containing material. LEAs are required to submit a clean-up plan and documentation that all AHERA standards have been met.
12. The Utah DEQ/DAQ does not separately track complaints or information tips from the normal inspections we perform. When the Utah DEQ/DAQ receives a tip or complaint, we determine if that tip or complaint has potential merit, and if so, we do an on-site inspection to determine if the LEA or their contractor(s) are compliant with the Federal AHERA, the Federal Asbestos NESHAP, and/or Utah State Asbestos Rule. The vast majority of tips and complaints we receive generate an inspection by Utah DEQ/DAQ staff. However, the vast majority of tips and complaints with LEAs are also found to have no merit as the schools and their contractors are typically found to be in compliance with all applicable rules and regulations.
13. We are only aware of one LEA that previously had buildings with asbestos in them that no longer contain asbestos because that LEA has built new schools to replace their old schools. Numerous



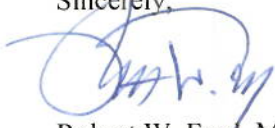
LEAs have been created in Utah subsequent to October 12, 1988, that never had buildings that contained any asbestos.

- a. Please see column F of the attached spreadsheet for LEAs that have completed full abatement and the date upon which the abatement was completed.
  - b. Please see column C of the attached spreadsheet for LEAs that have not fully abated know asbestos hazards and the number of school buildings in each LEA that still have asbestos-containing materials.
14. Yes, the State of Utah adopted the EPA Model Accreditation Plan in 1989.
15. The Utah DEQ/DAQ reviews all submitted demolition and abatement notification forms which have an entry for the name of the inspection and/or abatement contractors and the forms are reviewed for compliance with certification and accreditation. All on-site inspections include a review of proper certification and accreditation for individuals performing regulated work activities. The Utah DEQ/DAQ Asbestos Rules require certification for inspectors, contractors, workers, project designers, and management planners performing regulated work activities.
16. Yes, the Utah DEQ/DAQ requires the certification of all individuals who perform regulated work activities based on AHERA accreditation. Utah State Administrative Rules also requires individuals and companies to be certified that contract-for-hire to perform regulated work activities. Enforcement actions are taken when either the individual or the company do not follow federal regulations or state administrative rules. The Utah Air Conservation Act (Title 19, Chapter 2, Utah Code Annotated) is the state statute that gives the Utah Air Quality Board the authority to write state administrative rules that adopts the AHERA rule. The Utah Air Conservation Act also provides authority to assess civil penalties up to \$10,000 per violation per day. The Utah Asbestos Rule can be found in Utah Administrative Code R307-801.
17. No, the Utah DEQ/DAQ does not have a template notification letter for use by LEAs.
18. Annual notification letters are not required to be submitted to the Utah DEQ/DAQ, but are required to be kept in the AHERA Management Plans of the LEA.
- a. Please see column G of the attached spreadsheet for a list of the LEAs that are known to have provided annual notification letters to parents, teachers, and staff each year since 2010.
  - b. Please see column G of the attached spreadsheet for a list of the LEAs that are known to have not provided annual notification letters to parents, teachers, and staff each year since 2010 or it is unknown the status of notification letters.
19. The Utah DEQ/DAQ reports to USEPA Region 8 on a quarterly basis. These quarterly reports contain information regarding AHERA inspections performed, training courses reviewed, training course audits performed, AHERA Management Plans reviewed, and enforcement actions taken.

20. Yes. The Utah DEQ/DAQ receives a single grant from the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) that includes funding to assist with the program administration and the enforcement of AHERA. The funding amounts that we have received from the USEPA are FFY 2010 - \$134,654; FFY 2011 - \$92,237; FFY 2012 - \$139,824; FFY 2013 - \$240,587; and for FFY 2014 - \$124,000. The reporting requirements are listed with the response to questions #19, above. The reporting frequency is quarterly with the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter report including information for the entire Federal Fiscal Year.

Thank you for the opportunity to explain the work performed by the Utah DEQ/DAQ/ATLAS Section in assisting Utah Schools comply with the Federal AHERA Program requirements. If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact me at (801) 536-4451 or at [rwford@utah.gov](mailto:rwford@utah.gov).

Sincerely,



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Air Toxics, Lead-Based Paint, and Asbestos Section

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Enclosures: Information Request Letter to Governor Herbert dated March 31, 2015  
AHERA Spreadsheet of Responses for Letter dated March 31, 2015

cc: Alan Matheson, Acting Executive Director - Utah Department of Environmental Quality  
Michael Mower, Utah Governor's Office  
Wesley Smith, Utah Governor's Office



Column A - Local Educational Agencies (LEAs)	Column B - # School Bldgs	Column C - Buildings Containing Asbestos Containing Materials	Column D - O & M Plans Submitted	Column E - Inspections since 2010 (MM/YY)	Column F - LEAs Fully Abated	Column G - Notification letters	Column H - Periodic Inspections Conducted
Alpine School District	99	48	yes	2/11, 2/15		yes	yes
Beaver County School District	13	5	yes	6/10, 4/14		yes	yes
Box Elder School District	21	16	yes	1/13, 11/14		yes	yes
Cache County School District	31	18	yes	3/12, 12/14		yes	yes
Canyons School District	54	17	yes	4/12, 12/14		yes	yes
Carbon School District	14	11	yes	2/12		yes	yes
Daggett School District	5	0	yes	6/10, 1/15	5/1/2012	no	yes
Davis School District	103	70	yes	12/10, 11/14		yes	yes
Duchesne County School District	21	10	yes	5/12, 11/14		yes	yes
Emery County School District	17	14	yes	2/12		yes	yes
Garfield School District	8	7	yes	8/10, 4/14		yes	yes
Grand County School District	8	6	yes	5/10, 5/13		no	yes
Granite School District	113	81	yes	1/11, 12/14		yes	yes
Iron County School District	27	7	yes	7/12, 12/14		yes	yes
Jordan School District	61	13	yes	1/13, 11/14		yes	yes
Juab School District	8	5	yes	3/13, 12/14		no	yes
Kane County School District	9	8	yes	6/10, 4/14		yes	yes
Logan City School District	12	11	yes	5/11, 3/15		yes	yes
Millard School District	16	10	yes	5/12, 1/15		yes	yes
Morgan School District	8	6	yes	5/12, 12/14		no	yes
Murray City School District	13	12	yes	3/10, 2/13		yes	yes
Nebo School District	49	30	yes	3/11, 2/15		yes	yes
North Sanpete School District	12	10	yes	8/11		yes	yes
North Summit School District	6	3	yes	3/13		no	yes
Ogden City School District	29	20	yes	1/11, 1/14		yes	yes
Park City School District	10	1	yes	4/11		yes	yes
Piute County School District	4	2	yes	3/10, 9/13		yes	yes
Provo School District	26	18	yes	2/11		yes	yes

Rich School District	6	4	yes	6/12		yes	yes
Salt Lake City School District	41	10	yes	11/10, 1/14		yes	yes
San Juan School District	15	13	yes	5/10, 5/13		yes	yes
Sevier School District	15	11	yes	5/12, 2/15		yes	yes
South Sanpete School District	10	4	yes	5/11		yes	yes
South Summit School District	5	4	yes	3/13, 12/14		yes	yes
Tintic School District	7	5	yes	7/10, 3/14		yes	yes
Tooele County School District	30	17	yes	7/11, 3/15		yes	yes
Uintah School District	20	9	yes	2/10, 4/13		yes	yes
Wasatch County School District	11	7	yes	3/11		yes	yes
Washington County School District	54	10	yes	5/10, 11/12		yes	yes
Wayne School District	7	6	yes	7/10, 4/14		yes	yes
Weber School District	48	26	yes	1/11, 1/14		yes	yes
Academy of Math, Engineering & Science	1	1	yes			yes	yes
Alianza Academy - Magna Campus	3	0	not needed			unknown	not needed
American International School of Utah	1	0	yes	9/14		yes	yes
American Leadership Academy	2	0	not needed	11/14		yes	not needed
American Preparatory Academy	7	0	not needed	4/12, 2/15		yes	not needed
Aristotle Academy	1	0	not needed	2/14		yes	not needed
Ascent Academies of Utah	2	0	not needed	12/14		yes	not needed
Bear River Charter School	1	0	no	5/13		no	unknown
Beehive Science & Tech Academy	1	0	not needed			no	not needed
Canyon Grove Academy	1	0	not needed	2/14		yes	not needed
Canyon Rim Academy	1	1	yes	8/12		yes	yes
CBA Center	1	1	yes			unknown	yes
Channing Hall	1	0	not needed	10/11		yes	not needed
City Academy	1	1	yes			unknown	unknown
C.S Lewis Academy	1	0	not needed	8/10		unknown	not needed
Davinci Academy of Science and the Arts	1	1	yes			unknown	yes
Dual Immersion Academy	1	0	not needed	8/12		yes	not needed
Early Light Academy at Daybreak	1	0	not needed			unknown	not needed
East Hollywood High	1	1	yes			unknown	unknown
Edith Bowen Laboratory School	1	0	not needed	11/11		yes	not needed
Electronic High School	1	0	not needed			unknown	not needed



Endeavor Hall	1	1	1	no	2/14		yes	unknown
Entheos Academy	2	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Excelsior Academy	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Fast Forward High	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Freedom Preparatory Academy	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Gateway Preparatory Academy	1	0	not needed		12/14		yes	not needed
George Washington Academy	1	0	not needed		1/15		unknown	not needed
Good Foundations Academy	1	0	not needed		10/12, 12/14		yes	not needed
Guadalupe School	1	0	not needed		6/11		yes	not needed
Hawthorn Academy	1	0	not needed		12/14		yes	not needed
Highmark Charter School	1	0	not needed		12/14		yes	not needed
Intech Collegiate High School	1	0	not needed		5/13, 11/14		unknown	not needed
Itineris Early College High	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Jefferson Academy	1	0	not needed		12/14		yes	not needed
John Hancock School	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Karl G. Maeser Prep Academy	1	0	not needed		9/12		yes	not needed
Lakeview Academy	1	0	not needed		1/15		yes	not needed
Leadership Learning Academy	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Legacy Preparatory Academy	2	0	not needed		9/10		yes	not needed
Lincoln Academy	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Mana Academy Charter School	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Maria Montessori Academy	1	0	not needed		12/14		yes	not needed
Merit College Preparatory Academy	1	0	not needed		4/13		yes	not needed
Moab Charter School	5	1	yes				unknown	unknown
Monticello Academy	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Mountain Heights Academy	1	0	not needed		3/15		no	not needed
Mountainville Academy	1	0	not needed		12/11, 12/14		yes	not needed
Mountain West Montessori Academy	1	0	not needed		12/14		yes	not needed
Navigator Pointe Academy	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Noah Webster Academy	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
North Davis Preparatory Academy	2	0	not needed		12/14		yes	not needed
North Star Academy	1	0	not needed		12/14		yes	not needed
Northern Utah Academy for Math, Engineering & Science	1	0	not needed		8/11		yes	not needed
Odyssey Charter School	1	0	not needed		1/15		yes	not needed

Ogden Preparatory Academy	2	0	not needed	12/14		yes	not needed
Open Classroom	1	1	yes	9/11, 12/14		yes	yes
Pacific Heritage Academy	1	0	not needed			no	not needed
Paradigm High	1	0	not needed	11/14		yes	not needed
Pinnacle Canyon Academy	1	0	yes			unknown	unknown
Pioneer High School for the Performing Arts	1	0	not needed	9/14		no	not needed
Promontory School	1	0	not needed			unknown	not needed
Providence Hall Elementary	2	0	not needed			unknown	not needed
Quest Academy	2	0	not needed	12/14		yes	not needed
Ranches Academy	1	0	not needed			unknown	not needed
Reagan Academy	1	0	not needed			unknown	not needed
Renaissance Academy	1	0	not needed			unknown	not needed
Rockwell Charter High School	1	0	not needed	9/14		no	not needed
Salt Lake Arts Academy	1	0	not needed	12/14		yes	not needed
Salt Lake Center for Science Education	1	1	yes	10/11, 12/14		yes	yes
Salt Lake School of the Performing Arts	1	1	yes	12/14		no	yes
Scholar Academy	1	0	not needed	12/14		no	not needed
Soldier Hollow Charter School	1	0	not needed			unknown	not needed
Spectrum Academy	2	0	not needed	1/12		yes	not needed
Success Academy	1	1	yes	11/14		yes	yes
Success School	1	0	not needed			unknown	not needed
Summit Academy	3	0	not needed	10/12		yes	not needed
Syracuse Arts Academy	2	0	not needed	12/14		yes	not needed
Thomas Edison	2	0	not needed	8/10		yes	not needed
Timpanogos Academy	2	0	not needed			unknown	not needed
Tuacahn High School Perf. Arts	1	0	not needed			unknown	not needed
Utah Career Path High	1	0	not needed	3/15		no	not needed
Utah Connections Academy	1	0	not needed	1/15		no	not needed
Utah County Academy of Sciences	1	1	no			unknown	unknown
Utah International Charter School	1	1	yes	3/15		yes	yes
Utah Virtual Academy	1	0	not needed			unknown	not needed
Valley Academy	1	0	not needed	11/12, 2/15		yes	not needed
Venture Academy	2	0	not needed	4/13, 11/14		yes	not needed
Vista at Entrada School of Performing Arts & Technology	1	0	not needed	11/12		yes	not needed



Voyage Academy	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Walden School of Liberal Arts	1	0	not needed	8/11			yes	not needed
Wasatch Peak Academy	1	0	not needed	12/14			yes	not needed
Weber State University Charter Academy	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Weilenmann School of Discovery	1	0	not needed	11/14			yes	not needed
Adventures in Learning or Educare	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Alpine Academy	11	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
American Heritage	1	1	yes	5/14			yes	yes
Anchor Baptist Christian Academy	1	1	yes				no	unknown
Berean Baptist Christian Academy	1	1	yes	12/14			yes	unknown
Catholic Schools	15	11	yes	3/10, 11/14			yes	yes
Children's Christian School	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Childrens Classic	2	1	yes				unknown	unknown
Christian Heritage	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Cinnamon Hills School	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Colby School	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Copperhills Youth Center	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Elizabeth Academy	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Hilltop Christian School	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Intermountain Christian School	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Iqra Academy of Utah	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Ivy Hall Academy	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Layton Christian Academy	3	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Lutheran Schools	5	4	yes				unknown	unknown
McGillis School - Jewish School	1	0	no				unknown	unknown
Meridian School	1	0	not needed	3/12			no	not needed
Montessori at Riverton	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Mount Vernon Academy	1	1	yes	1/12, 1/15			yes	yes
Northridge Learning Center	2	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Oakley School	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Odyssey House/Academy	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Park City Academy	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Primary Children's School at Wasatch Canyons	1	0	not needed				unknown	not needed
Realms Of Inquiry	1	0	not needed	9/14			no	not needed

Redeemer Lutheran School	1	1	yes		unknown	unknown
Rowland Hall-St. Mark's	3	1	yes	4/10, 1/15	yes	yes
Stillwater Academy	2	0	not needed		unknown	not needed
Triumph Center For Youth	4	0	not needed		unknown	not needed
Utah School for the Deaf & Blind	6	0	yes	3/13	yes	yes
Utah State Development Center	1	1	yes		yes	yes
Utah State Hospital	1	1	yes	5/10, 11/14	yes	yes
Valor Hall Academy	1	0	not needed		no	not needed
Clearfield Job Corps Center	14	10	yes	6/10	unknown	unknown
Weber Basin Job Corps Ct.	11	8	yes	6/10	unknown	unknown
Wasatch Academy	12	5	yes	10/10, 11/14	yes	yes
Waterford School	6	0	not needed		yes	not needed
West Ridge Academy	1	0	not needed		unknown	not needed
Winter Sports Park	1	0	not needed		unknown	not needed



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March 31, 2015

The Honorable Governor Gary Herbert  
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Dear Governor Herbert,

In 1986 Congress enacted the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA) to protect students, teachers, and other employees from the dangers of asbestos hazards in school buildings. As implementation of this law approaches the twenty year mark, the extent of asbestos hazards remaining in schools across the nation is largely unknown. We think it is an appropriate time to assess how the law is being implemented in each state and whether any legislative or other reforms are needed.

Please answer the following questions by May 15, 2015 as they relate to AHERA implementation in Utah.

### *Scope of Asbestos Hazards in Schools*

1. How many local education agencies in your state are subject to AHERA? Please provide a list of the local education agencies subject to AHERA and identify the number of school buildings in each.
2. How many local education agencies in your state have conducted an initial asbestos inspection of all buildings owned, leased, or used as school buildings as required by AHERA?
3. How many local education agencies in your state have been identified as having school buildings that harbor asbestos-containing materials? Please provide a list of those local education agencies and provide the number of school buildings in each that have been identified as harboring asbestos-containing building materials.

### *Awareness and Monitoring of Asbestos Hazards in Schools*

4. How frequently do local education agencies report AHERA compliance information to the State?
5. How many local education agencies in your state have prepared and submitted asbestos operation and management (O&M) plans as required by AHERA regulations (40 C.F.R. §763.91)?
6. How many local education agencies in your state have prepared and submitted asbestos management plans as required by AHERA regulations (40 C.F.R. §763.93)?
7. How many local education agencies in your state have conducted the periodic inspections as required by AHERA regulations? Please provide a list of those local education agencies and the number of school buildings in each for which periodic inspections have not been conducted.
8. How often does your State conduct inspections and/or audits of each local education agency for their compliance with AHERA? Please provide the dates of state inspections and/or audits since 2010.
9. For each of the past five (5) years, what were the annual costs of your State's implementation and enforcement of AHERA?



10. Have any local education agencies in your state been issued penalties for noncompliance with AHERA? If so, please describe these occasions.
11. Has your State ever taken an emergency action against any local education agencies for noncompliance with AHERA? If so, please describe these occasions and their outcomes.
12. How many complaints or informant tips about alleged AHERA violations has your state received from parents, teachers, students, janitorial staff, etc. each year since AHERA became law in 1986?

#### *Asbestos Abatement Status*

13. Of the local education agencies known to have or have had buildings with asbestos-containing material, how many local education agencies have completed full abatement of the asbestos hazards? By "full abatement" we mean full removal of the asbestos hazards and not management in place through encapsulation, enclosure, or other means.
  - a. Please provide a list of the local education agencies that have completed full abatement and the date upon which the abatement was completed.
  - b. Please provide a list of those local education agencies that have *not* fully abated known asbestos hazards and the number of school buildings in each that continue to harbor asbestos-containing materials.

#### *Asbestos Accreditation, Training, and Licensure*

14. Did your State adopt the EPA's Model Accreditation Plan (*i.e.*, the EPA's template establishing definitions, training, examinations, continuing education, qualifications, recordkeeping, deaccreditation, reciprocity, and electronic reporting as set forth in 40 C.F.R. Pt. 763, SubPt. E, App. C) to ensure contractors, inspectors, and other professionals are adequately trained to handle asbestos-containing materials safely? If not, please describe the differences of your State's accreditation plan as compared with EPA's.
15. How does your State verify that professionals conducting asbestos-related work (such as building inspections, abatement projects, etc.) are properly accredited?
16. In addition to AHERA requirements for accreditation of contractors and laboratories, does your State require any professionals to be licensed to perform asbestos-related work? If so, please describe the requirements for licensure, penalties for doing asbestos-related work without a license, and disciplinary procedures for not performing asbestos-related work in conformity with professional standards in your State. Provide appropriate citations to State statutes when applicable.

#### *Asbestos Notifications to Parents, Teachers, and Staff*

17. Does your State have a template notification letter for use by local education agencies to provide parents, teachers, and staff annual notifications about asbestos management plans? If so, please provide a copy.
18. How many local education agencies have provided annual notification letters to parents, teachers, and staff each year since 2010?
  - a. Please provide a list of the local education agencies that have provided annual notification letters to parents, teachers, and staff each year since 2010.
  - b. Please provide a list of the local education agencies that have *not* provided annual notification letters to parents, teachers, and staff each year since 2010.

#### *Reporting to EPA*

19. What information related to AHERA and asbestos hazards in schools does your State report to the EPA? How frequently does this reporting occur?



20. Does your State receive grant funding to assist in the enforcement of AHERA (e.g., funding to conduct inspections)? If so, please describe the funding amount, funding period, and reporting requirements.

Thank you very much for your consideration of this matter. If you have any questions, please contact Dr. Jennifer Wagner or Dr. Michal Freedhoff at 202-224-2742.

Sincerely,



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Edward J. Markey, Ranking Member  
Subcommittee on Superfund, Waste  
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