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Dr. Dean Richey  
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Dear Dr. Richey:

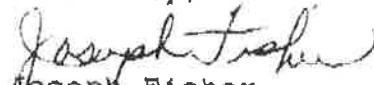
During the process of amending the Part H district contracts, it has come to my attention that those contractors housed in universities charged 8% to indirect costs, with the exception of Tennessee Tech.

Due to the high visibility of program planning, we feel that costs, as much as possible, should be dedicated to the provision of services to infants and toddlers with developmental delays and their families.

Would it be possible for Tennessee Tech to bring their indirect costs in line with the universities housing other contractors? The excess of those costs as currently written could then be used for the addition of further state public awareness materials.

We appreciate your continued support for this planning effort and look forward to working with you in the coming year.

Sincerely,

  
Joseph Fisher  
Assistant Commissioner

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cc: Ann Hampton  
Sarah Willis✓