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City Manager Eileen M. Donoghue
Mayor William Samaras.
Members of the City Council

RE: Allow Children Attend Neighborhood Schools

Dear Manager Donoghue, Mayor Samaras and Members of the City Council:

I write in response to Councilor Mercier's request that the Law Department explore what steps are necessary to allow children to attend neighborhood schools and obtain a release from the consent decree. This motion has been forwarded to the Superintendent of Schools and the Mayor to request a report and recommendation from the school committee as to whether there is desire to seek such relief and depart from their current busing practices.

As soon as I receive their response I will update the Council.

Very truly yours,

Christine P. O'Connor
City Solicitor

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