Office of the Superintendent of Schools MONTGOMERY COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS Rockville, Maryland

August 1, 2018

MEMORANDUM

To: Members of the Board of Education

From: Jack R. Smith, Superintendent of Schools

Subject: Private Duty Nursing Service Support (06-25-18-09)

Question

When discussing Consent Item 4290.3 – Private Duty Nursing Services for Students with Special Needs Responsible Office: Office of Special Education Awardees, Ms. Dixon requested information regarding how many students are served by these services.

Response

For students with Individualized Education Programs in the 2017–2018 school year, 28 students received full-time nursing support and 2 requests were received for field trip nursing support. For students receiving protections under *Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973*, a full-time private duty nurse was assigned for 1 student and 93 requests were received for field trip nursing support.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Kevin E. Lowndes, associate superintendent for special education, Office of the Chief Academic Officer, at 240-740-3041.

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