# Addendum To Finding of Emergency

Readoption of Emergency Regulations

California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP)

## Update To Finding of Emergency

Allowing the emergency regulations to expire prior to the adoption of these amendments through the regular rulemaking process will cause the regulations to revert to the permanent regulations currently in effect, effectively declaring that the close of the 2023–24 state testing window was supposed to be July 15 and not June 28. This may undermine confidence in the 2023–24 administration and the reporting of 2023–24 results by creating ambiguity surrounding the correct end of the state testing window. Furthermore, not all scoring and reporting for the 2023–24 administration had been completed by the time of the July State Board of Education meeting. The California Department of Education wishes to avoid any instances where the regulations revert to the July 15 test window close date so that there is no uncertainty around the 2023–24 test administration and results.

Even though the closing date for the 2023–24 school year has since passed, this emergency readoption package maintains the consistency of the new closing date window and minimizes any confusion for schools as they plan and begin conducting CAASPP testing for the new school year (2024–25), which has just begun, until the permanent CAASPP regulations are implemented in November 2024.

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