

12. The Agreement

12.1 This agreement will be automatically renewed by each Member District annually unless notice of withdrawal or dissolution is given under the terms of this agreement.

12.2 This agreement will supersede all previous agreements among the parties in relation to the operation of the SSA and responsibilities under any prior Cooperative agreement.

12.3 This agreement will apply to and bind the representatives and successors in interest of the parties to this agreement.

12.4 This agreement is governed by the laws of the State of Texas.

12.5 If any provision of this Agreement becomes or is held violative of any law or unenforceable, then the invalidity of that provision will not invalidate the remaining provisions. The Member Districts agree that all remaining provisions of this Agreement will remain in effect.

12.6 Citations of and references to any specific federal or state statute or administrative regulation in this Agreement include any amendment to or successor of that statute or regulation.

12.7 The effectiveness of this agreement is conditioned upon the approval of the Texas Commissioner of Education, pursuant to Education Code § 29.007.

12.8 It is understood and agreed that this Agreement may be executed in a number of identical counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original for all purposes.

12.9 It is agreed and understood that the terms of this Agreement shall not be modified absent written agreement of all parties.

Executed this _____ day of _____, 2009.