

**Connecticut State Department of Education
Addendum to Agreement for Child Nutrition Programs (ED-099)
Healthy Food Certification Statement**

Section 1 – Background

Section 10-215e of the Connecticut General Statutes (C.G.S.) directs the Connecticut State Department of Education (CSDE) to develop and publish nutrition standards (hereinafter, Connecticut Nutrition Standards (CNS)) for food items offered for sale to students at school separately from reimbursable meals sold as part of the National School Lunch Program (NSLP) and School Breakfast Program (SBP). Section 10-215f of the C.G.S. requires that each participant in the NSLP, including each local and regional board of education, the Connecticut Technical High School System and the governing authority for each state charter school, interdistrict magnet school and endowed academy, must certify each year in its annual application to the CSDE whether all food items made available for sale to students will meet the CNS. Section 10-215b of the C.G.S. further provides additional funding to NSLP participants who annually certify compliance with the CNS.

Section 2 – Certification Statement

► ***Must be completed by all Connecticut public school districts that participate in the NSLP.***

On behalf of the Woodbridge School District and
(Name of the Board of Education or Governing Authority)

pursuant to Section 10-215f of the Connecticut General Statutes, I hereby certify that all food items offered for sale to students in the school(s) under our jurisdiction, and not exempted from the Connecticut Nutrition Standards published by the Connecticut State Department of Education, *(select appropriate box)*

will *(must complete Sections 3 and 4 on page 2)*

will not *(sign below and return form)*

comply with the CNS during the period of **July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017**. Such certification shall include all food offered for sale to students separately from reimbursable meals at all times and from all sources, including but not limited to, school stores, vending machines, school cafeterias, and any fundraising activities on school premises, whether or not school sponsored.

**Local or Regional Board of Education or
Governing Authority**

Signature: _____ Gaeton F. Stella, Ph.D.
(Signature of the Authorized Representative) *(Printed Name of the Authorized Representative)*

Superintendent March 21, 2016
(Title of Superintendent of Schools, President or Chairperson of the Board) *Date of Authorization*

Section 3 – Exemption Statement

► *To be completed only by districts/schools choosing the healthy food option, i.e., those districts/schools that checked “will” in Section 2.*

Pursuant to Section 10-215f of the Connecticut General Statutes, I hereby acknowledge that the board of education or governing authority, *(select appropriate box)*

- will** exclude from certification food items that do not meet the CNS, provided that (1) such food is sold in connection with an event occurring after the end of the regular school day or on the weekend, (2) such sale is at the location of the event, and (3) such food is not sold from a vending machine or school store.
- will not** exclude from certification food items that do not meet the CNS.

Section 4 – Amendment to Agreement for Child Nutrition Programs (ED-099)

► *To be completed only by districts/schools choosing the healthy food option, i.e., those districts/schools that checked “will” in Section 2.*

Pursuant to Section 10-215f of the Connecticut General Statutes, the Agreement for Child Nutrition Programs (ED-099) with

Woodbridge School District

(Name of the Board of Education or Governing Authority)

is hereby amended to include the above certification statement of compliance with the CNS and application for funding related to those standards. This addendum covers the period from **July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017**.

**Local or Regional Board of Education or
Governing Authority**

Signature: _____	Gaeton F. Stella, Ph.D.
<i>(Signature of the Authorized Representative)</i>	<i>(Printed Name of the Authorized Representative)</i>
Superintendent	March 21, 2016
_____	_____
<i>Title (Superintendent of Schools, President or Chairperson of the Board)</i>	<i>Date of Authorization</i>

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Connecticut State Department of Education

Signature: _____	Kathy Demsey
<i>(Signature of State Agency Representative)</i>	<i>(Printed Name of State Agency Representative)</i>
Chief Financial Officer	
_____	_____
<i>Title</i>	<i>Date</i>

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