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June 9, 2020

## CERTIFICATE WITH RESPECT TO ARBITRAGE

## THE STATE OF TEXAS: TEXAS EDUCATION AGENCY:

The Texas Education Agency hereby certifies with respect to the issuance by Stephenville Independent School District (the "District") of the Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Taxable Series 2020, dated June 1, 2020, in the principal amount of \$13,975,000.00 (the "Bonds") as follows:

- 1. The Permanent School Fund (the "Fund") created by Article 7, Section 5 of the Texas Constitution is a perpetual state trust fund authorized for the benefit of the public schools of the State of Texas.
- 2. The Bonds are guaranteed, pursuant to Article 7, Section 5 of the Texas Constitution and Section 45.051, et seq., of the Texas Education Code, by the corpus of the Fund.
- 3. The Fund has satisfied each of the factual requirements of paragraphs (d)(1)(i) through (d)(1)(iii) of Section 1.148-11(d)(1) of the Treasury Regulations on and after August 16, 1986.
- 4. Based upon the unaudited records of the Texas Education Agency and the General Land Office, the outstanding amount of the bonds guaranteed by the Fund on the sale date of the bonds did not exceed 500 percent of the total cost of the assets held by the Fund on December 16, 2009.
- 5. If the Bonds are defeased, the Fund guarantee shall be withdrawn in its entirety.

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Under the authority granted by Article 7, Section 5 of the Texas Constitution and Subchapter C of Chapter 45 of the Texas Education Code, the payment, when due, of the principal of and interest on the issuance by the Stephenville Independent School District of its Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Taxable Series 2020, dated June 1, 2020, in the principal amount of \$13,975,000.00 is guaranteed by the corpus of the Permanent School Fund of the State pursuant to the bond guarantee program administered by the Texas Education Agency. This guarantee shall be removed in its entirety upon defeasance of such bonds.

[Reference is hereby made to the continuing disclosure agreement of the Texas Education Agency, set forth in Section I of the Agency's Investment Procedure Manual and the Agency's commitment letter for the guarantee. Such disclosure agreement has been made with respect to the bond guarantee program, in accordance with Rule 15c2-12 of the United States Securities and Exchange Commission, for the benefit of the holders and beneficial owners of the bonds.]\*

In witness thereof I have caused my signature to be placed in facsimile on this bond.

Mike Morath

Commissioner of Education

This statement authorizes the use of my signature to be placed in facsimile on the above bonds.

<sup>\*</sup>The bracketed paragraph should be omitted from bond issues which aggregate less than \$1,000,000, as such offerings are totally exempted from Rule 15c2-12.