

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY**

C.P., individually and on behalf of F.P.,  
a minor child; D.O. individually and on  
behalf of M.O., a minor child; S.B.C.,  
individually and on behalf of C.C., a  
minor child; A.S., individually and on  
behalf of A.A.S., a minor child; M.S.,  
individually and on behalf of her minor  
child, H.S.; Y.H.S., individually and on  
behalf of his minor child, C.H.S.; E.M.  
on behalf of her minor child, C.M.;  
M.M., individually and on behalf of  
K.M.; L.G., individually and on behalf  
of her minor child, T.M.; E.P.,  
individually and on behalf of her minor  
child, Ea.P.; and on behalf of ALL  
OTHERS SIMILARLY SITUATED,  
Plaintiffs,

Civil Action No. 19-cv-12807

v.

NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF  
EDUCATION; KEVIN DEHMER,  
Interim Commissioner of Education, in  
his official capacity,  
Defendants.

**STATEMENT IN LIEU OF BRIEF  
PURSUANT TO LOCAL CIVIL  
RULE 7.1(d)(4)**

Pursuant to Local Civil Rule 7.1(d)(4), no brief in support of the joint motion brought by Class Counsel and Defendants is necessary because there are no legal issues as to the relief sought therein.

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