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TO THE ADMINISTRATOR ADDRESSED:

SUBJECT: Required *RF Tracker* Data Collection for Local Education Agencies with Residential Care and Treatment Facilities within Their Geographic Boundaries and/or Jurisdiction

The purpose of this letter is to notify local education agencies (LEAs) of timelines related to the required 2017-2018 collection of data for students with disabilities who reside in residential care and treatment facilities (RFs) within the geographic boundaries or jurisdiction of an LEA. Texas Education Agency (TEA) staff continue to work toward data elements being added to the Public Education Information Management System (PEIMS) in order to be able to identify these students and facilities throughout the state. Until such time that this can be accomplished, **LEAs have the ongoing obligation to enter data into the *RF Tracker* data collection system**

