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The Honorable Al Muratsuchi
Chair, Assembly Education Committee
1020 N Street, Room 159
Sacramento CA

RE: Removal of Opposition to AB 1927 (Alanis)

Dear Assemblymember Muratsuchi:

As an organization working to expose and eradicate the injustices and inequities in California schools and colleges, The Education Trust—West (ETW) is removing opposition to AB 1927 (Alanis), as amended on April 11th. With recent amendments, this bill will make Career Technical Education (CTE) teachers eligible to receive an incentive grant from the Golden State Teacher Grant (GSTG) program. These teachers would serve in a priority school. “Priority school,” is defined as a school where 55 percent or more of the students are English learners, low-income or foster youth.

Previously, we were concerned about the effects of permitting CTE teachers to receive an incentive grant and serve in a non-priority school. That concern has been addressed, and thus, we are removing our opposition and adopting a neutral position.

Thank you for considering our views.

Sincerely,

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cc: Assemblymember Juan Alanis
Members of the Assembly Education Committee
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