LIMITED CONFLICT OF INTEREST WAIVER

Since January 1, 2023, the law firm of Stock & Leader has served as the solicitor for the Northern York County School District. Preceding that representation, the Dover Area School District, which currently is involved in a dispute with the Northern York County School District, had been represented by the law firm of Kegel Kelin Almy & Lord. Over the past several years, both Stock & Leader and Kegel Kelin Almy & Lord have merged into the law firm of Saxton & Stump. Saxton & Stump currently serves as the solicitors for both school districts.

Currently pending before the Commonwealth Court of Pennsylvania are two related and consolidated appeals (Northern York County School District v. Dover Area School District, Appellant No. 175 C.D. 2024 and Northern York County School District, Appellant v. Dover Area School District No. 176 C.D. 2024), which have been fully briefed and scheduled for argument before the Court.

In order to ensure that the argument on the appeals noted above proceeds without further delay, the Board of School Directors hereby agrees that Northern York County School District waives the conflict of interest relating to Saxton & Stump's continued representation of Dover Area School District in the appeals noted above while also serving as Solicitor for Northern York County School District. This waiver of the conflict of interest shall expire at the conclusion of the appeals noted above.

Board of School Directors of the Northern York County School District

Date: June <u>14</u>, 2025