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Assessment Technology Incorporated Selected by the Arizona Department of Education as a Curriculum and Assessment Service Provider

Assessment Technology Incorporated responded to RFP #ED10-0039 titled, "School Improvement District Turnaround Providers Alternate Operations Plan Interventions, School Restart and External Providers" issued by the Arizona Department of Education

Tucson, AZ – October 2010 – Assessment Technology Incorporated (ATI), a leader in online instructional improvement systems supporting comprehensive assessment and instructional tools, announces that its federal, state, and locally aligned online system has been selected by the Arizona Department of Education (ADE) as a service provider for curriculum and assessment in response to the issued ADE RFP #ED10-0039 titled "School Improvement District Turnaround Providers Alternate Operations Plan Interventions, School Restart and External Providers." ATI's instructional improvement system, Galileo K-12 Online, offers research-proven assessment and curriculum services to assist schools and local education authorities (LEA) in implementing effective, intensive, turnaround interventions and in measuring progress toward achievable sustained outcomes.

"We are happy to learn that Assessment Technology Incorporated is being recognized as having the essential services required by the ADE," said John R. Bergan, Ph.D., President of ATI. "Given our significant experience with technology, research-based educational management, and our ongoing track record in currently serving districts and schools in Arizona, it is rewarding to know that the ADE agrees that our company is highly qualified to provide these vital services."

ADE issued RFP #ED10-0039 to identify educational service providers qualified to manage a district under an Alternate Operations Plan. To have qualified as an educational service provider, an organization had to demonstrate research-proven services that assist schools and LEAs in implementing effective, intensive, turnaround interventions, while measuring progress toward achievable, sustainable outcomes.

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ATI's patented technology delivers to educators a complete online instructional improvement system including valid, reliable assessments aligned to state standards and a broad range of online modules designed to promote student learning via rapid and flexible access to assessment, reporting, instructional, and intervention tools. ATI creates, delivers, and scores over 24,000 assessments aligned to state standards every year. Since its inception in 1986, ATI has been a leader in providing assessment information to guide instruction.

ATI supports a customized, comprehensive assessment strategy developed in collaboration with a school or LEA that involves the regular administration of benchmark and formative assessments that are aligned to the Arizona State Academic Standards and Performance Objectives and the school or LEA curriculum. ATI also works collaboratively with the school or LEA to implement a customized professional development plan for training staff members in data analysis and data-driven decision making with the goals of elevating achievement for all student subgroups and evaluating and improving the effectiveness of curriculum and instructional practices. ATI has a reputation for providing excellent professional development, technical and user support.

About Assessment Technology Incorporated:

Established in 1986 and headquartered in Tucson, Arizona, Assessment Technology Incorporated (ATI) is comprised of a professional staff with expertise from a variety of disciplines related to early childhood and K-12 education including teaching, training, educational measurement and outcomes evaluation, research, software development, information management systems, multimedia production, and the design of web based applications for education. ATI was among the first to provide online testing, real-time results, and risk assessment identifying students at risk for not meeting standards. ATI technology continues to evolve based on client needs, research undertakings, government accountability requirements and advances in technology.

About Galileo K-12 Online:

Galileo K-12 Online from Assessment Technology Incorporated is a fully-integrated, standards-based Instructional Improvement System, providing comprehensive assessment and instructional tools. State standards are built in and ready for use, as the Common Core State Standards will be as they receive state adoption. Galileo K-12 Online management tools assist educators in establishing instructional goals reflecting the district's curriculum, assessing goal attainment, forecasting standards mastery on statewide tests, and using assessment information to guide classroom instruction, enrichment, and re-teaching interventions. ATI's patented technology is uniquely qualified to address a district's goals when implementing standards-based strategies to raise student achievement.

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