

Mandate Review Request #2012040017

Note: All information below was provided by the local government/Mandate Relief Council Member requesting that a mandate be reviewed. Neither the Council nor its staff has verified the accuracy of the information provided or made any other edits.

Name of Local Government: Irvington Union Free School District
Type of Local Government: School District
County: Westchester

Name of Mandate: Special Education mandates that exceed Federal Law

Type of Mandate: Regulation/Rule/Order

Citation for Mandate: N/A

Description of Mandate: There are over 200 NYS special education laws and regulations that exceed federal IDEA requirements. These mandated items must be followed by a "T" even while other mainstream programs are being compromised.

Recommended Change: State can provide more flexibility or alter the regulations in many areas while still ensuring an appropriate level of services and support for each designated student.

Estimated Savings from the Recommended Change to the Local Government: Unable to be determined at this time.

Estimated Statewide Savings from the Recommended Change:

Description of Methodology Used in Estimating Savings: N/A