

## CHIEF DIRECTORATE: EXAMINATIONS AND ASSESSMENT

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## **ASSESSMENT INSTRUCTION 10 OF 2022**

TO: DEPUTY DIRECTORS-GENERAL

**CHIEF DIRECTORS** 

**HEAD OFFICE DIRECTORS AND DISTRICT DIRECTORS** 

CIRCUIT MANAGERS
CIRCUIT MANAGERS

**DEPUTY CHIEF EDUCATION SPECIALISTS** 

SENIOR EDUCATION SPECIALISTS

PRINCIPALS OF SCHOOLS IN THE GET AND FET BAND

**TEACHER UNIONS/ORGANISATIONS** 

**SCHOOL GOVERNING BODIES** 

**DATE: 03 MARCH 2022** 

## REPORT ON 2021 STATISTICAL MODERATION OF SCHOOL BASED ASSESSMENT (SBA REJECTIONS)

- 1. Regulations pertaining to the Conduct, Administration and Management of the National Senior Certificate Examination, published as Government Regulation Notice No. R872 in Government Regulation Gazette No. 31337 of 29 August 2008, and amended as Regulation Notice No. 371 in Government Gazette No. 37651 dated 16 May 2014, other examination policies and mandates by DBE and Umalusi have reference.
- This correspondence serves to provide you with the outcome of the statistical moderation process conducted by Umalusi on the SBA marks presented by your school in 2021.
- 3. The schools' SBA marks in the subject/s indicated on the attached list were rejected in the process and could not be used in the generation of your candidates' results; as candidates' marks could not be properly awarded and fairly distributed in accordance with the candidates' abilities.



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- 4. This implies that in the subject/s indicated on the attached list, the SBA marks were outside the accepted tolerance range which means that marks were either inflated or deflated beyond the acceptable tolerance range.
- 5. The Chairpersons of the DAIC are requested to manage SBA rejections by:
  - 5.1 Organising a DAIC meeting where these cases will be discussed and appropriate recommendations to avoid reoccurrence of these rejections that lead to candidates being fairly or unfairly advantaged or disadvantaged as follows:
  - 5.2 The Subject Advisors, principal and the subject teacher/s are requested to account in writing to the Head of Department: Education for the deviation, indicating reasons why they should not be charged for misconduct on examination irregularities which lead to either decrease or increase of the marks of candidates beyond the acceptable tolerance range.
  - 5.3 These cases must be critically adjudicated and an improvement plan for 2022 be drawn. The minutes of the meeting/s with relevant supporting documents must be submitted to Mrs. F. Bikitsha at <a href="mailto:funiwe.bikitsha@edoe.gov.za">funiwe.bikitsha@edoe.gov.za</a> on or before 31 March 2022.
- 6. Kindly be informed that these schools will be sampled for Provincial Centralised Moderation and are expected to submit relevant portfolio of evidence to the Provincial Office through the District Head of Examinations.
- The portfolio of evidence must reflect evidence of moderation at school, cluster/district levels.
- 8. Co-operation by all officials is always appreciated in ensuring an irregularity free examination.

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MR R. TYWAKADI

**DDG: CURRICULUM MANAGEMENT AND DELIVERY** 

**DATE: 03 MARCH 2022** 



