Self-operated Food Service Management Company Contract

**Date of Administrative Review (Entrance Conference Date):** 

#### **GENERAL PROGRAM PARTICIPATION**

- 1. What Child Nutrition Programs does the SFA participate in? (Check all that apply)
  - School Breakfast Program (7 CFR 220)
  - National School Lunch Program (7 CFR 210)
  - Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program (P.L. 113-79 Section 19)
  - Afterschool Snack Program (7 CFR 210)
  - Special Milk Program (7 CFR 215)
  - Seamless Summer Option (7 CFR 210)
- 2. Does the SFA operate under any Special Provisions?
  - $\square$  No  $\square$  Yes (Check all that apply)

Community Eligibility Provision (CEP)

- Special Provision 1
- Special Provision 2
- Special Provision 3

#### **REVIEW FINDINGS**

- 3. Were any findings identified during the SFA's review?
  - $\Box$  No  $\Box$  Yes: Indicate below the areas and issues identified.

A. MEAL ACCESS AND REIMBURSEMENT			
Findings	Findings for Certification and Benefit Issuance		
☐ No	Xes Yes	Findings:         Free and reduced application processing compliance         Household eligibility notification compliance         Direct certification procedure compliance         Benefit issuance document compliance         Other:         Connecticut State Department of Education (CSDE):         Technical assistance provided to SFA         Corrective action received by CSDE         Corrective action approved by CSDE         For information on certification and benefit issuance, review the USDA's Eligibility Manual for School Meals.	

A. MEAL ACCESS AND REIMBURSEMENT, continued			
Verification of Household Applications <ul> <li>Not applicable (sponsor does not collect free and reduced meal applications)</li> </ul>			
🖂 No	🗌 Yes	Findings:  Verification process compliance Household verification letter compliance	
		<ul> <li>Verification benefit issuance document compliance</li> <li>Other:</li> </ul>	
		CSDE:	
		<ul> <li>Technical assistance provided to SFA</li> <li>Corrective action received by CSDE</li> <li>Corrective action approved by CSDE</li> </ul>	
		For information on verification, visit the CSDE's Verification webpage.	
Meal Co	Meal Counting and Claiming		
🖂 No	🗌 Yes	Findings:	
		<ul> <li>Meal counting and claiming compliance</li> <li>Edit Check compliance</li> </ul>	
		Counting, consolidating, and recording of reimbursable meals compliance	
		<ul> <li>Policy compliance for incomplete meals, second meals, visiting student meals, adult and non-student meals, student worker meals, a la carte items, field trip meals, or pre-paid meals</li> <li>Other:</li> </ul>	
		CSDE:	
		<ul> <li>Technical assistance provided to SFA</li> <li>Corrective action received by CSDE</li> <li>Corrective action approved by CSDE</li> </ul>	
		For information on meal counting and claiming, visit the CSDE's <i>Meal Counting and Claiming webpage</i> .	

B. MEAL PATTERN AND NUTRITIONAL QUALITY		
Meal Components and Quantities		
🗌 No	Xes Yes	Findings:
		<ul> <li>Meal pattern compliance (whole grain-rich, vegetable subgroups, milk type):</li> <li>Breakfast</li> <li>Lunch</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Meal component compliance</li> <li>Breakfast</li> <li>Lunch</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Sufficient quantities/complete meal compliance</li> <li>Breakfast</li> <li>Lunch</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Production record compliance</li> <li>Breakfast</li> <li>Lunch</li> </ul>
		Other:
		CSDE:
		<ul> <li>Technical assistance provided to SFA</li> <li>Corrective action received by CSDE</li> <li>Corrective action approved by CSDE</li> </ul>
		For information on the USDA meal pattern requirements, visit the CSDE's Meal Patterns for School Nutrition Programs webpage.

B. MEAL PATTERN AND NUTRITIONAL QUALITY, continued		
Offer versus Serve (OVS)		
🗌 No	Yes Yes	Findings:
		Meal selection compliance under OVS
		Breakfast
		Reimbursable meal compliance under OVS
		Breakfast
		Food service staff/cashier knowledge of OVS compliance
		Student knowledge of OVS compliance
		Breakfast
		Other:
		CSDE:
		<ul> <li>Technical assistance provided to SFA</li> <li>Corrective action received by CSDE</li> <li>Corrective action approved by CSDE</li> </ul>
		For information on OVS, visit the CSDE's OVS for School Nutrition <i>Programs</i> webpage.
Dietary S	pecification	ons and Nutrient Analysis
No No	Yes	Findings:
		Nutrient analysis <b>not required</b>
		Nutrient analysis conducted     Breakfast
		Other:
		CSDE:
		<ul> <li>Technical assistance provided to SFA</li> <li>Corrective action received by CSDE</li> <li>Corrective action approved by CSDE</li> </ul>
		For information on the USDA dietary specifications, visit the CSDE's Meal Patterns for School Nutrition Programs webpage.

C. GENERAL PROGRAM COMPLIANCE		
Civil Rights (FNS Instruction 113-1)		
No No	Yes	Findings:         Nondiscrimination statement compliance         Accommodating special dietary needs compliance         Written complaint procedure compliance         Civil rights training compliance         Other:         CSDE:         Technical assistance provided to SFA         Corrective action received by CSDE         Corrective action approved by CSDE
		For information on the USDA civil rights requirements, visit the CSDE's Civil Rights for Child Nutrition Programs webpage.
Local Scl	hool Wellı	ness Policy
No No	Yes	Findings:         Wellness policy compliance         Other:         CSDE:         Technical assistance provided to SFA         Corrective action received by CSDE         Corrective action approved by CSDE         For information on school wellness policies, visit the CSDE's School Wellness Policies webpage.

C. GENERAL PROGRAM COMPLIANCE. continued			
Smart Snacks in Schools			
🗌 No	Yes	<ul> <li>Findings:</li> <li>Foods and beverages sold on the school campus (excluding reimbursable meals) are Smart Snacks compliant</li> <li>Other:</li> </ul>	
		CSDE: Technical assistance provided to SFA Corrective action received by CSDE Corrective action approved by CSDE For information on Smart Snacks, visit the CSDE's Smart Snacks Nutrition Standards webpage.	
Food Safety, Storage and Buy American			
☐ No	Xes Yes	<ul> <li>Findings:</li> <li>➢ Food Safety Plan compliance</li> <li>➢ Food Safety inspections compliance</li> <li>➢ Buy American Provision compliance</li> <li>○ Other:</li> <li>CSDE:</li> <li>➢ Technical assistance provided to SFA</li> <li>➢ Corrective action received by CSDE</li> <li>➢ Corrective action approved by CSDE</li> <li>For information on food safety, visit the CSDE's Food Safety for Child Nutrition Programs webpage. For information on the Buy American requirements, review the USDA's memo SP-24-2016, Questions and Answers on Buy American Provision.</li> </ul>	
Other Ar	eas		
☐ No	TYes	Findings:         Other:         CSDE:         Technical assistance provided to SFA         Corrective action received by CSDE         Corrective action approved by CSDE	

Additional Comments:

For more information, see the Connecticut State Department of Education's (CSDE) School Nutrition Programs webpage or contact the school nutrition programs staff in the CSDE Bureau of Health/Nutrition, Family Services and Adult Education, 450 Columbus Boulevard, Suite 504, Hartford, CT 06103.



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