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URGENT: Compliance Complaint Submission – Kaleb Xiong (DOB 3/13/2020) – EGUSD

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To: SPECEDUCATION <speceducation@cde.ca.gov>

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RE: Supplemental Update to Compliance Complaint: Ongoing Misclassification of Kaleb Xiong's Absences (No District Response)

Dear CDE Investigator,

I am writing to provide a supplemental update to our December 2025 compliance complaint regarding Elk Grove Unified School District (EGUSD) and our son, Kaleb Xiong.

On December 11, 2025, we emailed Principal Williams requesting that Kaleb's absences beginning December 3, 2025—and any ongoing absences that continue while EGUSD's unresolved safety and IEP implementation issues remain outstanding—be corrected and recorded as excused absences. That December 11 email was copied to the following district special education administrators: Anne Rigali (Director of Special Education), Alicia Wilson (Coordinator/Supervisor), and Cindy Hayes (Program Specialist).

As of today, EGUSD has provided no response or acknowledgment, and Kaleb continues to be marked with unexcused absences.

Kaleb's inability to attend is not based on parent choice or noncooperation. Rather, it is directly tied to unresolved district-created safety concerns and ongoing failures to implement essential IEP-required supports, as detailed in our complaint. Continuing to record these absences as "unexcused" is inaccurate and harmful because it misrepresents the reason Kaleb is not attending, creates a misleading record, and compounds the impact of EGUSD's noncompliance.

We respectfully request that CDE incorporate this ongoing issue into the scope of the investigation, including EGUSD's failure to respond to a written request to correct inaccurate attendance coding despite notice to both the school site administrator and district special education leadership.

If helpful, we can provide copies of the December 11 email and screenshots/printouts of Kaleb's attendance record showing the current unexcused coding.

Thank you for your attention to this update.

Sincerely,
Yang & Mary Xiong
Parents of Kaleb Xiong

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