

EXPLANATION OF RATIFICATION TO AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN  
SAN DIEGO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT  
AND  
COAST MUSIC THERAPY

September 14, 2004

PARTIES TO THE AGREEMENT: The San Diego Unified School District and Coast Music Therapy

AGREEMENT SUMMARY: Coast Music Therapy provides music therapy services to students as a related service as identified on their Individualized Education Program (IEP) in accordance with state and federal law under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA)

TERM: July 1, 2004 through June 30, 2005

AMOUNT OF FUNDING: \$180,000

SOURCE OF FUNDING: 5386 65000 00 5137 1180 5750 01000 4697  
(SpEd Programs/Regular Year)

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: IDEA mandates related services for identified students with disabilities. The district needs to contract for services with Coast Music Therapy to implement students' IEP. Coast Music Therapy has qualified staff and a proven record of providing quality music therapy services to students with disabilities.

**Rationale for Ratification:**

The processing of this contract was delayed due to the consultant's summer vacation. Signatures could not be obtained prior to June 30, 2004.

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