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RE: GROUP EXEMPTION

EIN: 36-3586953

This letter is to verify exemption under IRC 501(c)(3).

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Our records indicate that a group ruling letter was issued to Illinois Congress of Parent Teachers and its named subordinate organizations in August 1989 under group ruling number 9405. Normally a parent organization that is covered by a group ruling will automatically add new or additional subordinate units to the group ruling. We suggest that you contact your parent organization for guidance in this matter. If you want a copy of the exemption letter, please contact your parent organization.

Sincerely yours,

Bobby E. Scott District Director