ALSDE’S WAIVER REQUEST – VARIETY MILK REQUIREMENT

The Alabama Department of Education is seeking a waiver from the United States Department of Agriculture Food and Nutrition Services to allow School Food Authorities (SFAs) participating in Serve Only to meet the milk variety requirement over the week rather than daily. The purpose of this waiver is to alleviate the operational burden on SFAs and to minimize potential exposure to COVID-19 by decreasing the likelihood of food sharing amongst students. Approval of this waiver will suspend this requirement for all SFAs participating in Serve Only through June 30, 2021.