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Dear Regulations Compiler:

The Kentucky Department of Education has reviewed administrative regulation number **701 KAR 5:130**, **DRUG TESTING OF TEACHERS INVOLVED IN ILLEGAL USE OF CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES** in its entirety for compliance with the current law governing the subject matter of this administrative regulation.

This administrative regulation shall **REMAIN IN EFFECT WITHOUT AMENDMENT** because it is in compliance with current governing law. The regulation establishes criteria and procedures for drug testing of teachers disciplined and determined to have engaged in misconduct involving the illegal use of controlled substances.

Sincerely,

Todd G. Allen Deputy Commissioner & General Counsel

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