Dear District Technology Coordinator:

This technology update contains information related to the Central Office Services-Service Device Transition for the ACCESS for ELLs assessment.

WIDA and DRC will be retiring the Testing Site Manager (TSM) and begin implementing Central Office Services-Service Device (COS-SD) for ACCESS for ELLs Online and WIDA Screener Online administrations. Below are critical dates regarding this transition.

- Transition for all states to COS-SD will start on **May 15, 2019**. COS-SD will be available in WIDA AMS for download as well as all supporting documentation (Technology User Guide, System Specifications, etc.).
- TSM will no longer be available after **June 27, 2019** in WIDA AMS.
- TSM will not be supported after **August 15, 2019**.

To help states and districts prepare for these upcoming changes, WIDA and DRC will be hosting a series of webinars geared to technology coordinators on the following dates:

- Monday, April 8 at 9:00 a.m. MST
- Wednesday, June 12 at 9:00 a.m. MST
- Thursday, August 1 at 9:00 a.m. MST

Login information is located on the WIDA Q&A Webinars 2018-2019 for Technology Coordinators Schedule. These webinars will be recorded and added to the Webinar recordings page on the WIDA Secure Portal.

Please contact **DRC Customer Support** with any questions at WIDA@DataRecognitionCorp.com or **1-855-787-9615.**

Thank you,
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