Professional Standard Rule Hiring Waiver

Request for NDDPI Approval of a Food Service Director Candidate who meets Educational Standards but has less than the required three years Relevant Experience

School Nutrition Program Sponsors with less than 500 students may request approval from NDDPI to hire a candidate for Food Service Director who meets the education standards but has less than the required three years’ experience. The rationale for the hiring decision must be well-supported and documented for NDDPI to consider the request.

Return this completed form by fax or e-mail to Deb Egeland at degeland@nd.gov fax 701-328-9566.

School District: ___________________ LEA number: __________ Number of students: _________

Authorized Representative: ______________________________________ E-mail: ______________________

Phone: _______________________

Food Service Director Candidate Name: ______________________________________________________

Education and Work Experience of Candidate for Food Service Director:

Explain Food Service Director Recruitment Process:

Detail why this candidate should be approved without the required 3 years school nutrition experience (include other relevant experience in food service or other jobs):

Reminder: New Food Service Director’s must complete 8 hours of Food Safety Training within 30 days of employment.

_________________________________________ ______________________________
Signature of Authorized Representative Date

NDDPI Approval: _____ Yes _____ No

_________________________________________ ______________________________
Signature of Assistant Director Date
Child Nutrition Programs, NDDPI

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