

APPENDIX E
Request for Variance from Pre-K Collaboration Requirement

<p>Section 3602-e allows for a variance from the collaboration requirement based on documented evidence that the district has been unable to develop a collaborative arrangement for reasons that are outside the control of the district. New York City Community School Districts may not apply for this variance.</p>	<p>Describe the district's extensive efforts to identify and recruit eligible agencies and the reasons for not collaborating. Allowable reasons include: there are no eligible agencies; existing agencies are not interested or able to collaborate with the district; or there is good cause for not entering into a contract (specify).</p>
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