State of Alaska AK Adult Ed Programs
Waiver Form

Request for TABE or BEST Post-testing
Before Completion of Recommended Hours of Studies

SCHEDULE FOR TABE POST-TEST

- If the pre- and post-test are from the same level but using a different form (e.g., TABE 11 level M to TABE 12 Level M): 60 hours of instruction are recommended, with a minimum of 40 hours before post-testing student in Adult Ed Levels 1-4.
- 30-59 hours of instruction are recommended for students in AK Adult Ed Levels 5-6.
- If the pre- and post-test are with the same level and use the same form (e.g., TABE 11 level M to TABE 11 level M): 120 hours of instruction are recommended before post-testing.

SCHEDULE FOR BEST POST-TEST

- Post-test administered after a minimum of 60 hours of instruction; 80-100 hours recommended.

Program-related factors such as intensity of instruction, class size, teacher training and experience, and use of appropriate curricula and materials will affect language learning proficiency gains. Programs should consider these factors when determining timing for pre- and post-testing.

At the discretion of the local Regional AK Adult Ed Coordinator, a student may be post-tested before reaching 60 hours of instruction. However, this document must be completed, reasons listed, and signed document kept in student's Adult Ed file.

Student Name _____ DOB _____

Today's Date _____ Date of last TABE/BEST test _____

☐ Approved ☐ Denied

Number of hours since last TABE/BEST test _____

TABE				
Reading:	Form/Level	_____	Score	_____
Math:	Form/Level	_____	Score	_____

BEST				
Best Plus	Score	_____		
Literacy	Score	_____	Form	_____

Justification for Waiver: _____

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Signature of Staff Requesting Waiver _____ Staff Name Printed _____

AK Adult Ed Regional Coordinator _____ Date _____

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