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News Release - * With Corrected Date

Schedule for Commissioner Jones, July 28 – August 1

Tuesday, July 29

Commissioner of Education Dwight D. Jones will host a news conference at CDE to release results for the 2008 CSAP, CSAPA and ACT and share Colorado Growth Model results. The Colorado State Board of Education, Gov. Bill Ritter and Lt. Gov Barbara O'Brien will also be in attendance. The news conference begins at 11:00 a.m.

Location – Colorado Department of Education, 201 E. Colfax Ave., Denver.

Wednesday, July 30

The commissioner will make a stop at the Colorado Education Association (CEA) Summer Leadership Conference at Copper Mountain Resort. Commissioner Jones will speak during the opening session of the conference, beginning at 1 p.m. Dennis Van Roekel, NEA President-Elect and Congressman Mark Udall will also speak at the opening session which is scheduled to run until 4:30 p.m. This year's event, under the theme "Generation CEA: Leaders for the Next Decade," offers workshops on membership best practices and communicating with legislators.

Location – Copper Mountain Resort, 509 Copper Road, Copper Mountain, CO 80443.

* Friday, August 1

Commissioner Jones will attend the Southern Educators Conference at Adams State College in Alamosa. The commissioner will speak at the start of the conference from 8:30 to 9 a.m.

Location – Adams State College, 208 Edgemont Blvd., Alamosa, CO 81102.

For more information, contact Mark Stevens, 303-866-3898, or Megan McDermott, 303-866-2334, in the CDE Office of Communications. To sign up for the CDE e-mail news service, please visit http://www.cde.state.co.us/Communications/index.html.

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