

June 19, 2012

Dear IDA member and supporter:

I wanted to take a moment to let you know that effective Saturday, June 30, 2012, Stephen Peregoy will be leaving his position as IDA Executive Director. Please join me in thanking Steve for his nearly four years of service to IDA. We appreciate all of his hard work, dedication and accomplishments, and we are pleased to have had the chance to work closely with him.

While the Board of Directors searches for a permanent replacement, Lee Grossman has been named Interim Executive Director. Lee brings a wealth of leadership experience to IDA. Most recently, he served as President and CEO of Advance Enterprises, a global consulting firm in Washington, D.C. He also spent 10 years at the Autism Society of America (ASA), where he served as Chair of the Board of Directors and later President and CEO. Prior to joining ASA, Lee owned his own firm for 25 years in Honolulu, Hawaii, where he served as a consultant to the medical industry.

The Board of Directors is excited to welcome Lee to IDA, and we are confident that he will move IDA forward as we continue to work towards our goals of raising awareness of dyslexia and acting as a resource to parents, educators and the scientific community.

During this time of transition, the IDA will continue normal operations.

Thank you so much for your commitment to IDA and the cause of dyslexia. I look forward to continuing our work together in the future.

Sincerely,



Eric Q. Tridas, M.D.
President
Board of Directors
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