

Subject: Facility at 727 Carondelet
RE: Scrap Metal Removed
Date: February 9, 2015

Dear Parents and Guardians,

This weekend, the Times Picayune posted an article regarding IHSNO stripping metal from the facility and then selling the metal for scrap. There is legitimacy to this claim. The IHSNO administration will cooperate with the State's Legislative Auditors to ensure that the appropriate outcomes are adhered to and that we can move forward with minimal interruption to the day-to-day operations of the school.

The timing of this article is unfortunate as we make headway recruiting for the '15-2016 school year and beyond. The incidents of note occurred prior to the current administration's involvement; however, we will await the decision of the State's Legislative Auditors. I am confident that we will continue to move positively towards making IHS a pinnacle of education in Louisiana, while fully cooperating with all legitimate organizations.

To ensure that this process is handled in the proper arena, it is imperative that I remain the only spokesperson for IHSNO. Should you have any questions or need additional information, do not hesitate to contact me directly.

Thank you,
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