## Albany State University Superintendent's Assurance Form Educational Leadership Supervised Residency Specialist or Doctoral Level

I will commit to the following items:

- I understand the Beginning Leader Candidates who participate in the Leadership Supervised Residency for Initial Certification for Specialist or Doctoral Level must be in a leadership role as defined by the local system in partnership with the College/university...
- I understand the Beginning Leader Candidates who participate in the Leadership Supervised Residency for Specialist or Doctoral Level shall apply the knowledge and practice and develop the skills identified in Standards/Elements 1-6 through substantial, sustained, standards-based work in real settings, planned and guided cooperatively by the institution and school district personnel for graduate credit.
- I understand a supervisor/building or system administrator or system designee shall be assigned to fulfill the responsibilities outlined in the Guidelines for the Leadership Supervised Residency for Initial Certification for Specialist or Doctoral Level.
- I understand the Beginning Leader Candidate Support Team composed of the Beginning Leader Candidate, institution personnel, and the supervisor/building or system administrator or system designee shall be assigned to the Beginning Leader Candidates to fulfill the responsibilities outlines in the Guidelines for the Leadership Supervised Residency for Initial Certification for Specialist or Doctoral Level.
- I understand the details outlined in the University/School System/Regional Educational Service Agency Partnership Agreement for the Development of Educational Leaders and I support the local school system commitments.
- I am willing to grant and verify release time for Beginning Leader Candidates, if necessary.

(Candidate's Name – Printed)	(Candidate's Signature)
(School System Name)	(Date)
(Superintendent's or designee name- Printed)	(Superintendent's or designee Signature)
(Dean, College of Education Name- Printed)	(Dean, College of Education – Signature)

NOTE: This is by no means a promise or assurance that upon completion of the program, the candidate will be guaranteed an administrative position in this or any school system.