Appendix G-4

SLI - VOICE DISORDER CHECKLIST

STUDENT:	_DOB:	DATE:
TEACHER:	GRADE:	
PERSON COMPLETING FORM:		
RELATIONSHIP TO STUDENT:		

Please check beside each characteristic of student's voice you have observed.

VOICE BEHAVIOR

- 1. Voice problems (pitch, loudness, or quality) not observed.
- 2. Voice problems are observed as follows:
 - Voice often sounds raspy, hoarse, or harsh.
 - _____ Voice has unusual nasal quality.
 - _____ Student loses voice (becomes aphonic) or speaks too softly to be understood easily.
 - Student frequently displays vocal abuse such as yelling, throat clearing, or coughing
 - Student's voice problems have persisted over a period of time (at least 6 weeks).

MEDICAL HISTORY

- 1. Student has seen physician because of voice problem.
- 2. Student is frequently absent from school for respiratory problems.
- 3. Student has known history of frequent colds, allergies, asthma, etc.
- 4. Student has history of cleft palate or other oral structural problems. Please attach any relevant information regarding medical history.

ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE

- 1. Voice does not affect student's academic performance.
- 2. Voice problem adversely affects academic performance in the following situations:
 - ____ Oral reading.
 - Structured speaking tasks (i.e., reciting math facts)
 - Other academic activities (i.e., book reports and oral presentations)

DIBELS SCORES		ate	
Voice disorder adversely affects performance on DIBELS	yes	no	N/A

CLASSROOM PARTICIPATION

- 1. Voice does not affect classroom participation.
- 2. Voice problem adversely affects interaction in the following situations:
 - _____ Asking/answering questions
 - _____ Other oral activities in classroom.
 - Conversation with peers.
 - _____ Conversation with adults.

PLEASE RETURN FORM TO: _____