OFFICE OF INSTRUCTIONAL ENHANCEMENT AND INTERNAL OPERATIONS Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items April 18-19, 2013

OFFICE OF STUDENT ASSESSMENT OFFICE OF SPECIAL EDUCATION

15. Approval to award discretionary grants to local school districts for the purpose of contracting with Educators in Residence to provide consultative services and technical assistance

<u>Purpose</u>: To provide practitioner expertise and capacity building for the Mississippi Department of Education (MDE) in the areas of student assessment and meeting the needs of students with disabilities as defined by the Individuals with Disability Education Act 2004. Discretionary grants will be awarded to school districts in support of the Educator in Residence program.

Scope of Grant:

Grant Period: July 1, 2013 – June 30, 2014

Maximum Award Amount: \$830,800

(Amounts per district attached)

Method of Award: Discretionary

Funding Source: Federal and State funds

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material attached

ATTACHMENT 1

MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION Discretionary Grant Awards to Districts for Educator in Residence Program

District	Salary	Fringe	Travel	Grand Total
Office of Special Education				
Indianola School District (4 Educators in Residence)				
1.	\$90,000	\$27,000	\$30,000	\$147,000
2.	\$90,000	\$27,000	\$30,000	\$147,000
3.	\$90,000	\$27,000	\$30,000	\$147,000
4.	\$90,000	\$27,000	\$30,000	\$147,000
Total	\$360,000	\$108,000	\$120,000	\$588,000
Office of Student Assessment				
Rankin County School District (1 Educator in Residence)				
1.	\$78,000	\$23,400	\$20,000	\$121,400
Ocean Springs School District (1 Educator in Residence)				
2.	\$78,000	\$23,400	\$20,000	\$121,400
Total	\$156,000	\$46,800	\$40,000	\$242,800
Grand Total				\$830,800