OFFICE OF QUALITY PROFESSIONALS & SPECIAL SCHOOLS Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items June 20-21, 2013

MISSISSIPPI SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND

L. <u>Approval of the Mississippi School for the Blind 2013-2014 School Wellness Policy</u>

Executive Summary

This document is being modified to change dates reflective of the 2013-2014 school year. It has also been modified to reflect implementation of mandates as directed by the Office of Healthy Schools. This School Wellness Policy addresses all of the required components defined in the School Wellness Policy Guide disseminated by the Office of Healthy Schools. It provides the rationale and goal of the policy.

Additionally, this wellness policy addresses the school's commitment to nutrition, food safe schools, physical activity/physical education, comprehensive health education, healthy school environment, quality health services, providing counseling, psychological and social services, family and community involvement, implementing a quality staff wellness program, marketing a healthy school environment, and implementation.

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material attached

CHANGES TO THE COVER PAGE

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2012-2013 2013-2014 Wellness Policy





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