OFFICE OF CHIEF ACADEMIC OFFICER Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items Consent Agenda May 26, 2022

MISSISSIPPI SCHOOLS FOR THE DEAF AND THE BLIND

E. <u>Approval of Purchase of Apple Branded Products for the Mississippi Schools for the Deaf and the Blind</u>

Awarded Vendor: Apple, Inc.

Austin, Texas

<u>Scope of Project</u>: The Mississippi Schools for the Deaf and the Blind (MSDB) solicited bids from qualified vendors for Apple education products. The solicitation was posted in *The Clarion Ledger* and closed on Monday, May 9, 2022. Apple, Inc. will provide Apple branded instructional support devices and products through their K-12 Education Institutions Price List.

This will be year one (1) of a three (3) year contract to purchase products and shall include products available in the Apple Store for Education specifically for K-12 Education Institutions. MSDB will request a price redetermination (updated price list) each quarter. The pricing update shall also include any new products that have been added for K-12 Education Institutions. MSDB reserves the right at any time to terminate the contractual agreement during the three (3) year period.

Personnel associated with this contract are not former Department employees or related to any Department employees.

Scope of Contract:

• Term of Contract: June 1, 2022 – May 31, 2025

Amount to be Awarded: Up to \$100,000

Method of Award: Request for BID

Funding Source: ESSER and General funds

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material: None