OFFICE OF CHIEF OPERATIONS OFFICER Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items May 21, 2020

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- 07. <u>Action: Approval of the MDE Contracts</u> [Goals 1, 2, and 5 MBE Strategic Plan] (Felicia Gavin)
 - 07.A. Action: Renew contract with Questar Assessment, Inc. (QAI) for Fiscal Year 2021 to administer the English Language Arts and Mathematics in grades 3-8; Science Grades 5 & 8; and High School Algebra I, English II, and Biology I as part of the Mississippi Academic Assessment Program Alternate, (MAAP-A) for students with Significant Cognitive Disabilities (SCD) [Goals 1 and 2 MBE Strategic Plan] (Paula Vanderford)
 - 07.B. Action: Renew contract with Data Recognition Corporation (DRC) for Fiscal Year 2021 to administer the 5th and 8th Grade Science assessment, and End-of-Course assessments in Biology and U.S. History as part of the Mississippi Academic Assessment Program, (MAAP) [Goals 1 and 2 MBE Strategic Plan] (Paula Vanderford)
 - 07.C. Action: Renew contract with Questar Assessment, Inc. (QAI) for Fiscal Year 2021 to administer the English Language Arts and Mathematics in Grades 3-8, End-of-Course in Algebra I, English II, and options for Geometry and Algebra II as part of the Mississippi Academic Assessment Program, (MAAP) [Goals 1 and 2 MBE Strategic Plan] (Paula Vanderford)
 - 07.D. <u>Action</u>: Renew contracts with Monitoring and Compliance Fiscal Specialists II for the Fiscal Year 2021 for the Office of Federal Programs [Goal 5 MBE Strategic Plan] (Nathan Oakley)

These items reference Goals 1, 2, 5 of the *Mississippi Board of Education* 2018- 2022 Strategic Plan.

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material attached