OFFICE OF CHIEF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT OFFICER Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items March 17, 2016

OFFICE OF DISTRICT ACCREDITATION

01. Action: Approval of the Corrective Action Plan for districts assigned a PROBATION or WITHDRAWN status in accordance with Accreditation Policy 2.8.1 [Goals 1, 2, 3, and 4 – MBE Strategic Plan]

<u>Background Information</u>: In accordance with Accreditation Policy 2.8.1 of the *Mississippi Public School Accountability Standards, 2015*, a school district that has been assigned a PROBATION or WITHDRAWN accreditation status must submit a Corrective Action Plan (CAP) with defined timelines in which to correct the district's deficiencies. In accordance with Policy 2.8.1, the State Board of Education implements the program of development in each district in accordance with Section 37-17-6(11), *Mississippi Code of 1972*, as amended.

The districts submitted the CAPs to the Mississippi Department of Education within sixty (60) days of notification as required. Each program office has reviewed the applicable section of the CAPs and has approved the provided corrective actions and timelines.

The Commission on School Accreditation met in a special-called meeting on Tuesday, March 15, 2016, to approve the CAPs for the sixteen (16) districts assigned a PROBATION status.

The following district CAPs (see attached) are presented for approval:

Sixteen (16) districts have been assigned a PROBATION status:

- A. Benton County School District
- B. Coahoma County School District
- C. Covington County School District
- D. Forest Municipal School District
- E. Greenwood School District
- F. Leake County School District
- G. Leland School District
- H. Perry County School District
- I. Picavune School District
- J. Prentiss County School District
- K. Quitman County School District
- L. Scott County School District
- M. Wayne County School District
- N. West Bolivar Consolidated School District
- O. West Tallahatchie School District
- P. Wilkinson County School District

One (1) district has been assigned a WITHDRAWN status: *Tunica County School District

*In accordance with State Board of Education Policy Part 3, Chapter 2, Rule 2.2 – Conservatorship, the Accreditation Audit Report is the Corrective Action Plan for the district.

This item references Goals 1, 2, 3, and 4 of the *Mississippi Board of Education* 2016-2020 Strategic Plan.

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material attached



District Corrective Action Plans (CAPs) Executive Summary March 15, 2016

District	Process Standard Deficiency(ies)	Accreditation Status
Benton County School District	1.3	Probation
Coahoma County School District	2 and 2.2	Probation
Covington County School District	4.3, 29, and 30	Probation
Forest Municipal School District	4.1	Probation
Greenwood School District	1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 2, 2.3, 15, 17, 17.1, 17.2, 17.4, 18, 18.1, 18.2, 20, and 30	Probation
Leake County School District	2, 4, 8, and 29	Probation
Leland School District	1, 1.1, and 1.3	Probation
Perry County School District	2.2 and 30	Probation
Picayune School District	6, 6.1, 6.2, 8, 29, 29.2, and 31	Probation
Prentiss County School District	2.2	Probation
Quitman County School District	2, 6, 6.1, 8, and 30	Probation
Scott County School District	4.6	Probation
Wayne County School District	4, 4.1, 4.3, and 4.6	Probation
West Bolivar Consolidated School District	8 and 29	Probation

District	Process Standard Deficiency(ies)	Accreditation Status
West Tallahatchie School District	1.1	Probation
Wilkinson County School District	18, 18.1, 18.2, and 30	Probation
Tunica County School District	6.1, 8, 10, 11, 12, 14, 17.1, 17.2,17.3, 17.4, 17.5, 17.8, 18, 20, and 27	Withdrawn

Process Standards:

1 and 1.1	Superintendent Duties Assigned by Local School Board
1 and 1.2	School Board Policies
1 and 1.3	Local School Board
2 and 2.2	Licensed and Endorsed Staff/Professional Staff Working Out-of-Field
2 and 2.3	Licensed and Endorsed Staff/Librarians
4	Annual Financial Audit Submitted within Timeline
4.1	Financial Accounting System/Fixed Asset System of Accountability
4.3	Financial Accounting System/Unqualified Opinion
4.6	Financial Accounting System/Financial Exchange Transfer System(FETS)
6 and 6.1	Enrollment Requirements/Residency Verification
6 and 6.2	Enrollment Requirements/Immunization Requirements
3	Cumulative Folders and Permanent Records
10	Compulsory School Attendance
11	Dropout Prevention Plan and Program of Services
12	Community Involvement
14	Graduation Requirements
15	Professional Development Plan/Program
17 and 17.1	Federal Regulations/Early Childhood Programs
17 and 17.2	Federal Regulations/Pre-Kindergarten Programs
17 and 17.3	Federal Regulations/Career-Technical Programs
17 and 17.4	Federal Regulations/Special Education Programs
17 and 17.5	Federal Regulations/Child Nutrition
17 and 17.8	Federal Regulations/Gifted Education
18, 18.1, and 18.2	Library/Media Center/Services
19, 19.1, and 19.2	State Adopted Textbooks
20	Instructional Management System
27	Elementary/Middle School Curriculum
29	Transportation Program
29 and 29.1	Transportation Program/Bus Inspection and Maintenance
29 and 29.2	Transportation Program/Valid License, Evidence In-Service Training
29 and 29.4	Transportation Program/Emergency Evacuation Drills
30	School District Facilities
31	School Safety/Crisis Management