

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

OFFICE OF DISTRICT ACCREDITATION

- G. Information: Annual School Board Meeting Attendance Report in accordance with Section 37-6-13 of the *Mississippi Code of 1972*, as amended

Background Information: According to Section 37-6-13 of the *Mississippi Code of 1972*, as amended, the School Board Meeting Attendance Annual Report shall be submitted annually to the Mississippi Department of Education.

In accordance with Subsection (2) (a), if a member of a school board misses twenty percent (20%) or more of the meetings of the school board during a calendar year, except for absences caused by required military duty, the member must reimburse the school district that portion of the total salary paid to the member that year which is proportionate to the number of meetings missed by the member in relation to the total number of school board meetings held during that year. For purposes of this subsection, consideration may be given only to meetings of which public notice is required.

Before February 1 of each year, the president of each local school board shall submit a report to the State Board of Education containing the names of any members of the school board who missed twenty percent (20%) or more of the school board meetings during the preceding calendar year.

This item references Goal 4 of the *Mississippi Board of Education 2016-2020 Strategic Plan*.

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material attached

ATTACHMENT A

**SCHOOL BOARD MEETING ATTENDANCE
2015 ANNUAL REPORT
March 15, 2016**

98 Districts Responded No Member(s) Absent More than 20%

16 Districts Have Not Responded to Survey

27 Districts Reported Member(s) Absent More than 20%

3 Conservatorship Districts

DISTRICT CODE	DISTRICT NAME	BOARD PRESIDENT	MEMBER(S) ABSENT MORE THAN 20%	WAIVED COMPENSATION	DECEASED
5920	BALDWIN SCHOOL DISTRICT	Terry Gentry	Johnny Davis Brian Hogue		
0500	BENTON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT	Betty Page	Rocky Miller		
0800	CARROLL COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT	Laura N. Davis	Kenneth DeLoach		
1000	CHOCTAW COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT	Derek Hunt	Clint Huffman Laura Gibbs		
2521	CLINTON PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	Kenny Lewis	Kenny Lewis		
4620	COLUMBIA SCHOOL DISTRICT	Rene Dungan	Marie Shepard		
1500	COPIAH COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT	Terry Munn			Ronnie Channell
0220	CORINTH SCHOOL DISTRICT	Jerry Finger		Chip Peterson	
1700	DESOTO COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT	Stephen Dodd	Stephen Dodd		
1802	FORREST COUNTY AG HIGH SCHOOL	Clifford Pendarvis	Brian Freeman		
1800	FORREST COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT	Charles McMahan	Ronnie Perkins		

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1900	FRANKLIN COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT	Gloria S. Hayes	Michael Coleman		
3700	LAMAR COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT	Mike Pruitt	Kyle Hill		
3800	LAUDERDALE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT	Pam Frazier	Fredie Carmichael		Glenn Hall
3900	LAWRENCE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT	Scott Bryan	Scott Bryan		
3711	LUMBERTON PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	Albert Young	Conrad Ford Willie Earl Winston		
4500	MADISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT	Sam Kelly		Ken McCoy	
4600	MARION COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT	Houston Keith Stuckey	Clara Bilal		
5720	MCCOMB SCHOOL DISTRICT	Elice S. Rayborn	Maurice Chester Christine Richardson		
5000	NESHOBA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT	Davis Fulton	Michelle Phillips		
0921	OKOLONA MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	Dr. Jerome Smith	William Stewart		
5500	PEARL RIVER COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT	Jeremy Weir	Twila Crabtree Natalie Glorioso		
1212	QUITMAN SCHOOL DISTRICT	Chris Dew	Lewis Jefferson		
6711	SUNFLOWER CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT	Rev. Edward Thomas	Daisy Morgan		
6900	TATE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT	Heather Ashe	Brandy Crockett		
4120	TUPELO PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	Kenneth R. Wheeler		Robert L. Hudson	

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7613	WESTERN LINE SCHOOL DISTRICT	Clarence Hall, Jr.	Jamelda Fulton		

DISTRICTS RESPONDING TO SURVEY WITH NO MEMBERS ABSENT MORE THAN 20%

- (0200) ALCORN SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (0300) AMITE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4821) AMORY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (0400) ATTALA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2320) BAY ST LOUIS WAVELAND SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2420) BILOXI PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5921) BOONEVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4320) BROOKHAVEN SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (0700) CALHOUN COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4520) CANTON PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1100) CLAIBORNE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT*
- (1420) CLARKSDALE MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (0614) CLEVELAND SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1400) COAHOMA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (8111) COFFEEVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4420) COLUMBUS MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1600) COVINGTON COUNTY SCHOOLS DISTRICT
- (3111) EAST JASPER CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6811) EAST TALLAHATCHIE CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1211) ENTERPRISE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6220) FOREST MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2000) GEORGE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2100) GREENE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7620) GREENVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS DISTRICT
- (4220) GREENWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2220) GRENADA SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2421) GULFPORT SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2300) HANCOCK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2400) HARRISON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1820) HATTIESBURG PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1520) HAZLEHURST CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2500) HINDS COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7611) HOLLANDALE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4720) HOLLY SPRINGS SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2600) HOLMES COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2700) HUMPHREYS COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3000) JACKSON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

- (2520) JACKSON PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3300) JEFFERSON DAVIS COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3200) JEFFERSON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3400) JONES COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3500) KEMPER COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3600) LAFAYETTE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3420) LAUREL SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4000) LEAKE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4100) LEE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7612) LELAND SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2422) LONG BEACH SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (8020) LOUISVILLE MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4700) MARSHALL COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3820) MERIDIAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS
- (4800) MONROE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4900) MONTGOMERY COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3020) MOSS POINT SEPARATE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (0130) NATCHEZ-ADAMS SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4111) NETTLETON SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7320) NEW ALBANY PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5100) NEWTON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5130) NEWTON MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (0613) NORTH BOLIVAR CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5411) NORTH PANOLA SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5711) NORTH PIKE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7011) NORTH TIPPAAH SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3021) OCEAN SPRINGS SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3620) OXFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3022) PASCAGOULA SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2423) PASS CHRISTIAN PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6120) PEARL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5600) PERRY COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1821) PETAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5020) PHILADELPHIA PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5520) PICAYUNE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5820) PONTOTOC CITY SCHOOLS
- (5530) POPLARVILLE SEPARATE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6100) RANKIN COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5620) RICHTON SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6200) SCOTT COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6920) SENATOBIA MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6400) SIMPSON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6500) SMITH COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6312) SOUTH DELTA SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5412) SOUTH PANOLA SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5712) SOUTH PIKE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7012) SOUTH TIPPAAH SCHOOL DISTRICT



- (5321) STARKVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7100) TISHOMINGO COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7500) VICKSBURG WARREN SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7400) WALTHALL CO SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (8113) WATER VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7700) WAYNE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (0618) WEST BOLIVAR CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (3112) WEST JASPER CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1320) WEST POINT SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6812) WEST TALLAHATCHIE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7900) WILKINSON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4920) WINONA SEPARATE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (8220) YAZOO CITY MUNICIPAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (8200) YAZOO COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

DISTRICTS NOT RESPONDING TO SURVEY

- (0900) CHICKASAW COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (1402) COAHOMA COUNTY AGRICULTURE HIGH SCHOOL
- (2620) DURANT PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (0920) HOUSTON SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (2900) ITAWAMBA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (0420) KOSCIUSKO SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4300) LINCOLN COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4400) LOWNDES COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5200) NOXUBEE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5800) PONTOTOC COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5900) PRENTISS COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6000) QUITMAN COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (6600) STONE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7300) UNION COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (5131) UNION PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7800) WEBSTER COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

DISTRICTS CURRENTLY IN CONSERVATORSHIP (LOCAL SCHOOL BOARD ABOLISHED)

- (4820) ABERDEEN SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (4200) LEFLORE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
- (7200) TUNICA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

* (1100) CLAIBORNE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT HAS BEEN RECONSTITUTED AND A NEW BOARD HAS BEEN ELECTED.

ATTACHMENT B

Miss. Code Ann. § 37-6-13

MISSISSIPPI CODE of 1972

*** Current through the 2015 Regular Session ***

TITLE 37. EDUCATION CHAPTER 6. MISSISSIPPI UNIFORM SCHOOL LAW

Miss. Code Ann. § 37-6-13 (2015)

§ 37-6-13. Per diem allowance; expenses and mileage; meeting attendance requirements

(1) Each person serving as a member of the school board of any school district shall receive per diem in the amount of Sixty-seven Dollars (\$ 67.00) for no more than thirty-six (36) meetings of the school board during any one (1) fiscal year or, in his or her discretion, irrevocably may choose to receive as compensation for his or her services an annual salary in the amount of Two Thousand Four Hundred Dollars (\$ 2,400.00), which choice shall remain in force for all successive terms or periods of service of that member. The receipt of the compensation shall not entitle any member of a school board to receive or be eligible for any state employee group insurance, retirement or other fringe benefits. Each member shall be reimbursed for the necessary expenses and mileage in attending meetings of the school board. In addition to the foregoing, all members may be reimbursed for mileage and actual expenses incurred in the further performance of their duties, including attendance at any mandatory school board training session or at regional and national education meetings, when such mileage and other expenses are authorized by the board prior to the date on which they occur. Detailed vouchers shall be submitted for reimbursement for all expenses authorized by this section. Such reimbursement shall be in accordance with Section 25-3-41.

Such expenses shall be paid on order of the school board by pay certificates issued by the superintendent of the school district involved against the funds available for payment of the administrative expense of the district.

(2) (a) If a member of a school board misses twenty percent (20%) or more of the meetings of the school board during a calendar year, except for absences caused by required military duty, the member must reimburse the school district that portion of the total salary paid to the member that year which is proportionate to the number of meetings missed by the member in relation to the total number of school board meetings held during that year. For purposes of this subsection, consideration may be given only to meetings of which public notice is required.

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HISTORY: SOURCES: Laws, 1986, ch. 492, § 7; Laws, 1993, ch. 422, § 1; Laws, 1996, ch. 387, § 1; Laws, 1996, ch. 550, § 1; Laws, 1997, ch. 553, § 1; Laws, 2002, ch. 470, § 1, eff July 2, 2002 (the date the United States Attorney General interposed no objection under Section 5 of the Voting Rights Act of 1965, to the amendment of this section.)