

OFFICE OF CHIEF OF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT
Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items
August 18, 2016

OFFICE OF SCHOOL AND DISTRICT ACCOUNTABILITY

02. Action: Begin the Administrative Procedures Act (APA) process to revise the business rules of the Mississippi Statewide Accountability System to include the recommended cut scores beginning in school year 2015-2016 [Goals 1 and 2 – MBE Strategic Plan]

Background Information: On August 9, 2016, Mississippi Department of Education's (MDE's) Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) met and approved the proposed standard setting plan to establish the cut scores for schools and districts in the accountability model. The Accountability Task Force met on August 10, 2016 and participated in a standard setting process for the purpose of making recommendations for cut scores to the Mississippi Statewide Accountability System beginning in school year 2015-2016. The Commission on School Accreditation met on August 16, 2016 and approved recommended cut scores proposed by the Accountability Task Force.

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

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material will be provided at the meeting.