

OFFICE OF CHIEF ACADEMIC OFFICER
Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items
July 19, 2018

OFFICE OF PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT
MISSISSIPPI SCHOOL OF THE ARTS

- 15.D. Action: Purchase a used bus for the Mississippi School of the Arts as per Miss. Code § 37-41-101(4) [Goals 2 and 3 – MBE Strategic Plan]

Following Section IV of the Office of Safe and Orderly Schools Policy, the Mississippi School of the Arts (MSA) secured three independent appraisals and an evaluation by a competent mechanic. MDE-PURCHASE II form has been submitted to the Department for approval.

Following the Department of Finance and Administration Procedures, a Vehicle Request Form has been submitted for approval along with a quote for a second bus.

The purpose of the bus is to allow MSA to transport students and remain compliant with the Americans with Disabilities Act requirements.

The cost of the bus is \$32,900.

Source of Funds: State funds

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

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material: None