OFFICE OF CHIEF OPERATIONS OFFICER Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items April 18, 2024

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- 02. <u>Action</u>: Approval of the MDE Contracts [Goals 1, 2, 3, 4, and 6 MBE Strategic Plan] (Felicia Gavin)
 - 02.A. <u>Action</u>: Renew contract with Ajax Industrial Cleaning, LLC for Fiscal Year 2025 to provide janitorial services for the Administration Building located at the Mississippi School for the Deaf and Blind (MSDB) [Goal 3 – MBE Strategic Plan] (Donna Boone)
 - 02.B. <u>Action</u>: Renew contract with Research and Curriculum Unit, Mississippi State University for Fiscal Year 2025 for the operation of the Mississippi Career and Planning and Assessment System, Third Edition (MS-CPAS3) [Goals 1 and 2 MBE Strategic Plan] (Donna Boone)
 - 02.C. <u>Action</u>: Modify contract with North Mississippi Consortium to increase the amount of the contract for FY2025 to facilitate planned activities for Mississippi Department of Education for 2022-2025 [Goals 1, 2, 3, 4, and 6 – MBE Strategic Plan] (Paula Vanderford)
 - 02.D. <u>Action</u>: Renew contract with the MS Home Corporation for Fiscal Year 2025 for the MS Employer-Assisted Housing Teacher Program [Goal 4 MBE Strategic Plan] (Felicia Gavin)
 - 02.E. <u>Action</u>: Approve employment agreement for Dr. Washington Cole, IV continue to serve as Interim Superintendent for the Noxubee County School District [Goals 1, 2, 4, and 6 MBE Strategic Plan] (Erin Meyer)
 - 02.F. <u>Action</u>: Approve employment agreement for Dr. Jennifer Wilson to continue to serve as Interim Superintendent for the Holmes County Consolidated School District [Goals 1, 2, 4, and 6 MBE Strategic Plan] (Erin Meyer)
 - 02.G. <u>Action</u>: Approve employment agreement for Dr. Earl Watkins to continue to serve as Superintendent for the Achievement School District [Goals 1, 2, 4, and 6 MBE Strategic Plan] (Erin Meyer)

These items reference Goals 1, 2, 3, 4, and 6 of the *Mississippi Board of Education Strategic Plan.*

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material attached