

**STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION**

December 16, 2003

**SUBJECT:** Appointments to Education Practices Commission

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**PROPOSED BOARD ACTION**

For Approval.

**AUTHORITY FOR STATE BOARD ACTION**

Sections 1012.79 and 1012.795, F.S.

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

The Education Practices Commission, as mandated by Section 1012.79, Florida Statutes, is comprised of seventeen members. The appointments are to be approved by the State Board of Education from recommendations of the Commissioner. There are currently six appointments recommended by Commissioner Horne. Trent Daniel (teacher), Lynn Demetreades (lay person & former school board member), Dennis Griffin (administrator), and Dr. Ana Rossco (administrator) are eligible for reappointment and have indicated their willingness to serve a second term. The two remaining appointments must include a lay person and a teacher consistent with the requirements of statute. Commissioner Horne recommends Mr. Brian Donovan (teacher) and Ms. Chris Buckley (lay person) for these remaining appointments.

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**Supporting Documentation Included:** Biographies for Mr. Donovan and Ms. Buckley

**Facilitators/Presenters:** Fred Mattingly, Deputy Commissioner, Outreach and Planning