

**STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION**

May 18, 2004

**SUBJECT:** Report on State University System Activities

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**PROPOSED BOARD ACTION**

For information purposes only.

**AUTHORITY FOR STATE BOARD ACTION**

N/A

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

Chancellor Austin will report on the activities of the State University System and the Board of Governors since the State Board of Education meeting on April 20, 2004 including the accountability activity of the Board of Governors.

Through its Accountability Committee, the Board of Governors has broken new ground in its Higher Education Accountability model for the State University System. The Board of Governors has required the Universities to develop Academic Learning Compacts for each baccalaureate degree program. Enclosed is a PowerPoint presentation which outlines the features of that model.

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**Supporting Documentation Included:** Higher Education Accountability

**Facilitators/Presenters:** Chancellor Debra Austin