

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION
Requested Reports, Updates, and Discussions
March 21, 2006

SUBJECT: Update on 2007 Reading Adoption for Instructional Materials

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

For Information

AUTHORITY FOR STATE BOARD ACTION

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BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Each year, Florida adopts instructional materials for specific classes. Selected subject areas are called for adoption each year on a rotating basis, usually for a period of 6 years. Prior to each adoption, the Department of Education publishes the Instructional Materials Specifications for the subjects to be adopted. These specifications outline the courses for which materials are being sought, as well as the standards that those materials are expected to meet. The next adoption for reading instructional materials will be in 2007, and the specifications for that adoption will be released in March of 2006.

Supporting Documentation Included: Specifics of the Call for Reading Instructional Materials

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