

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Action Item

September 18, 2007

**SUBJECT: Consideration of Applications to Retain Exclusivity to Authorize
Charter Schools**

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

Grant or Deny

AUTHORITY FOR STATE BOARD ACTION

Section 1002.335(5)(e), Florida Statutes

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Pursuant to Section 1002.335, F.S., school districts may apply to retain exclusive authority to charter schools within their own district. The State Board of Education has the charge to review the district's resolutions and documentation and determine whether or not districts will be granted exclusive authority. State Board Rule 6A-6.0783 was adopted June 20, 2007, and outlines the process for submitting, reviewing and granting exclusive authority. The review process has been completed. The Board members will use the compiled results and any testimony provided during the meeting in determining exclusivity for each district.

Supporting Documentation Included:

**District Exclusive Authority
(under separate cover)**

**Facilitators/Presenters: Interim Director, Jean Miller, Office of
Independent Education and Parental Choice**