

## STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

January 21, 2003

**SUBJECT:** Appointment, Commissioner of Education, and  
Discussion of Criteria for Evaluation

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### **PROPOSED BOARD ACTION**

Members of the Board will appoint the Commissioner of Education.

### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

As provided by the Constitutional Amendment, approved in 1998, to Article IX, Education, Section 2, State board of education, as follows:

State board of education. – The state board of education shall be a body corporate and have such supervision of the system of free public education as is provided by law. The state board of education shall consist of seven members appointed by the governor to staggered 4-year terms, subject to confirmation by the senate. The state board of education shall appoint the commissioner of education.

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**Supporting Documentation Included:** Provisions of the School Code prescribing the Commissioner's duties

**Facilitators/Presenters:** Members of the Board