## OFFICE OF INSTRUCTIONAL ENHANCEMENT AND INTERNAL OPERATIONS Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Item January 19-20, 2012

## OFFICE OF STUDENT ASSESSMENT

05. Approval to modify contract with Measured Progress for Fiscal Year 2012 to increase the scope of technical services and products for the Mississippi Alternate Assessment of Extended Curriculum Frameworks

Awarded Vendor: Measured Progress

Dover, New Hampshire

<u>Scope of Project</u>: The purpose of this modification is to increase the scope of the Mississippi Alternate Assessment of Extended Curriculum Frameworks (MAAECF) contract for Fiscal Year 2012 as follows:

- Review the current Mississippi Extended Curriculum Framework (MECF)
  documents, the Data Collection Requirement documents and the cross over
  objective information to determine where MECF objectives need to be written;
- Develop new MECF objectives and revise any existing MECF objectives as needed;
- Conduct a one-day teacher meeting to review new and revised MECF objectives; and
- Provide costs for additional Mississippi Department of Education (MDE) staff to attend the MAAECF scoring in Menands, New York in Spring 2012.

Personnel associated with this contract are not former Department employees or related to any Department employees.

## Scope of Contract:

• Term of Current Contract: December 13, 2010 – June 30, 2012

• Cost of Current Contract: \$2,088,266

Modification Increase: \$ 94,028

• Total Cost of Modified Contract: \$2,182,294

Method of Award: Request for Proposals

<u>Funding Source</u>: Federal funds

Recommendation: Approval