OFFICE OF CHIEF ACADEMIC OFFICER Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items August 15, 2024

MISSISSIPPI SCHOOL OF THE ARTS

D. <u>Approval of contract with Castleworks, LLC to provide a new Security Camera</u> system for the Mississippi School of the Arts

Awarded Vendor: Castleworks, LLC

Bookhaven, Mississippi

<u>Scope of Project</u>: The purpose of this contract is to retain the services to replace the existing security camera system on the campus of the Mississippi School of the Arts (MSA).

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

Scope of Contract:

• Term of Contract: August 15, 2024 – December 29, 2024

Amount to be Awarded: \$ 114,500

Method of Award: Reverse Auction through Central Bidding

Funding Source: State

Summary of Selection Process:

An invitation for bid was posted in the local newspaper and with Central Bidding. A walk through was given to all interested vendors. Vendors submitted bids meeting specifications. Vendors who met the minimum specifications were invited to participate in the reverse auction. Central Bidding conducted the reverse auction. The timeline and process were consistent with state reverse auction procedures.

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material: None