## OFFICE OF CHIEF ACCOUNTABILITY OFFICER Summary of the State Board of Education Agenda Item Consent Agenda February 21, 2019

## OFFICE OF ACCREDITATION OFFICE OF SECONDARY EDUCATION

E. Approval to begin the Administrative Procedures Act process: To revise Appendices A-1, A-2, A-3, A-6, A-7, A-8, and A-9, social studies footnotes in the Appendix section of the Mississippi Public School Accountability Standards, 2018 and Mississippi Nonpublic Schools Accountability Standards, 2018 effective beginning 2018-2019 school year upon final approval

<u>Background Information</u>: On Thursday, February 7, 2019, The Commission on School Accreditation (CSA) met and approved with changes the proposed revisions to the social studies footnotes in the graduation requirement appendices (A-1, A-2, A-3, A-6, A-7, A-8, and A-9) of the *Mississippi Public School Accountability Standards*, 2018 and *Mississippi Nonpublic Schools Accountability Standards*, 2018.

The proposed revisions will align the history requirements with the new *Mississippi College- and Career-Readiness Standards* for social studies and specify the courses that will serve in lieu of courses required for graduation.

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material attached

Footnotes 4 and 5 of Appendices A-1, A-2, A-6, A-7, A-8, and A-9 of the *Mississippi Public School Accountability Standards*, 2018 and *Mississippi Nonpublic Schools Accountability Standards*, 2018

<sup>4</sup>Based on the <del>2011</del> <u>2018</u> Mississippi <u>College and Career Readiness Standards for Social</u> Studies Framework, A.P. World History, DC World Civilization I, AP European History, or DC Western Civilization I can may be accepted in lieu of the required World History from the Age of Enlightenment to Present course. AP United States History and or DC United States History II can may be accepted in lieu of the required U.S. History from Postreconstruction to Present course. A student taking an AP or DC course in lieu of a course with a required end-of-course state test shall take the requisite MAAP test. AP Government and Politics: United States and DC American National can may be accepted in lieu of the required United States Government course. IB-DP History of the Americas I is may be accepted in lieu of the required U.S. History course for students enrolled in the IB program. IB-DP History of the Americas II is may be accepted in lieu of the required Mississippi Studies, Economics, and/or U.S. Government courses for students enrolled in the IB program. MYP U.S. Government is may be accepted in lieu of the required Government course for students enrolled in the IB program. Cambridge IGCSE American History or Cambridge International AS level history may be accepted in lieu of the required U.S. History from Post-reconstruction to Present course.

<sup>5</sup>Carnegie units earned for Business Fundamentals or Business Fundamentals II may be accepted in lieu of one-half (½) unit in Economics. <u>AP Macroeconomics</u>, <u>AP Microeconomics</u>, <u>DC Principles of Macroeconomics</u>, or <u>DC Principles of Microeconomics</u> may be accepted in lieu of the required Economics course.

Footnotes 4 and 5 of Appendix A-3 for the *Mississippi Public School Accountability Standards*, 2018 and *Mississippi Nonpublic Schools Accountability Standards*, 2018

<sup>4</sup>AP U.S. History or <u>DC United States History II</u> is <u>may be</u> accepted in lieu of the required U.S. History Post-reconstruction to Present. <u>A student taking an AP or DC course in lieu of a course with a required end-of-course state test shall take the requisite MAAP test. <u>IB-DP History of the Americas I may be accepted in lieu of the required U.S. History course for students enrolled in the IB program. Cambridge IGCSE American History or <u>Cambridge International AS level history may be accepted in lieu of the required U.S. History from Post-reconstruction to Present course.</u> The third social studies credit should be selected based on the student's program of study.</u></u>

<sup>5</sup>The Carnegie unit earned for a State/Local Government course in any other state by an out-of-state transfer student who enters after the sophomore year can stand may be accepted in lieu of Mississippi Studies or Mississippi State and Local Government. If the transfer student took a State/Local Government course in a grade level that did not award Carnegie unit credit, then any other one-half (½) unit social studies course may be accepted. An out-of-state student who transfers after the junior year may substitute any other one-half (½) unit social studies course. Credit earned for Business Fundamentals or Business Fundamentals II may be accepted in lieu of one-half (½) unit in Economics. AP Macroeconomics, AP Microeconomics, DC Principles of Macroeconomics, or DC Principles of Microeconomics may be accepted in lieu of the required Economics course.