OFFICE OF CHIEF ACCOUNTABILITY OFFICER Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items Consent Agenda February 20, 2025

OFFICE OF ACCREDITATION

- L. Approval to upgrade the accreditation status of two (2) nonpublic schools accredited by the MDE
 - 1. Lighthouse Academy for Dyslexia ADVISED to ACCREDITED
 - 2. Roger Amos McMurtry School ADVISED to ACCREDITED

<u>Background Information</u>: Based on Accreditation Policy 2.1 of the *Mississippi Nonpublic School Accountability Standards, 2024,* annual accreditation statuses are assigned in December each year and are determined by information verified during the previous school year. An assigned accreditation status remains in effect during that school year unless the correction of deficiencies in meeting accreditation standards upgrades a status.

These schools have corrected the deficiencies previously cited that resulted in the assignment of the Advised status on December 19, 2024.

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material: None