

**OFFICE OF CHIEF OPERATIONS OFFICER**  
**Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items**  
**June 19, 2025**

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06. Action: Approval of the MDE Contracts [Goals 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 – MBE Strategic Plan] (Kym Wiggins)
- 06.A. Action: Contract with Powerful Cleaning, LLC to provide services for the Administration Building located at the Mississippi Schools for the Deaf and Blind (MSBD) [Goal 3 – MBE Strategic Plan] (Wendy Clemons)
- 06.B. Action: Modify contract with EMS LINQ, LLC to capture data for non-congregate meal service options in the Child Nutrition Management System Software (MARS) [Goal 5 – MBE Strategic Plan] (Paula Vanderford)
- 06.C. Action: Modify contract with Business Computer of Memphis to continue providing services and products for School Based Administrative Claiming (SBAC) and school nurse database [Goal 1 – MBE Strategic Plan] (Paula Vanderford)
- 06.D. Action: Contract with Michael D. Kent to perform the administrative duties for the Office of School District Transformation, work with school districts to consolidate, work with districts in District of Transformation, serve as a hearing officer for MDE, and special assignments [Goals 4 and 6 – MBE Strategic Plan] (John Ferrell)
- 06.E. Action: Modify the contract with Applied Enterprise Management Corporation to provide CEDS Generate Consulting Services [Goal 5 – MBE Strategic Plan] (John Kraman)
- 06.F. Action: Approve the award to Data Recognition Corporation (DRC) for Fiscal Year 2026 to administer statewide assessments for the Mississippi Academic Assessment Program (MAAP), including the alternate assessment program (MAAP-A) [Goals 1 and 2 – MBE Strategic Plan] (Paula Vanderford)

These items reference Goals 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 of the *Mississippi Board of Education Strategic Plan*.

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material attached