

OFFICE OF EDUCATIONAL ACCOUNTABILITY
Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items
July 13-14, 2011

OFFICE OF ACCREDITATION

19. Approval of Appointment to the Commission on School Accreditation

The Commission on School Accreditation is composed of fifteen (15) members, with three representatives from each of the five Congressional districts as established at the time the Commission was authorized under MS Code 37-17-3. The membership consists of two classroom teachers, two principals of schools, two school district superintendents, two local school board members, and seven individuals who are not actively engaged in the education profession. The length of a regular term is four years, and each member is eligible to serve for two full consecutive terms. The membership of the Commission shall be appointed by the State Board of Education upon recommendation of the State Superintendent of Education, and all appointments to the Commission shall comply with Section 37-17-3, Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended.

The following Commission position is vacant:

- Due to the resignation of Dennis Penton, Superintendent, there is a vacancy to fulfill an unexpired term (2009-2013) in Congressional District 5.

Recommendation of the State Superintendent:

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| Congressional District 5 | Mr. Henry Arledge Superintendent Unexpired term 2009-2013 |
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The following Commission positions are eligible for re-appointment:

- Due to the completion of an unexpired term, Ann Jones, Non-educator, is eligible for appointment to the first regular term (2011-2015) in Congressional District 4.

Recommendation of the State Superintendent:

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| Congressional District 4 | Ann Jones Non-Educator First Regular Term 2011-2015 |
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- Due to the completion of the first regular term, Cathy Broadway, Principal, is eligible for appointment to the second regular term (2011-2015) in Congressional District 5.

Congressional District 4

Cathy Broadway
Principal
Second Regular Term 2011-2015

Recommendation: Approval