OFFICE OF INSTRUCTIONAL ENHANCEMENT & INTERNAL OPERATIONS
Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items
May 20, 2011

OFFICE OF HEALTHY SCHOOLS

Office of Child Nutrition

C. Approval to renew competitive contracts with various distributors for distribution of milk and ice cream products to local organizations in the State Food Purchasing Program

- Awarded Vendors: LuVel Dairy
  Kosciusko, Mississippi

  Dairy Fresh Corporation
  Hattiesburg, Mississippi

Scope of Project: Contracts are awarded to the lowest and most responsive bidder. Contracts are awarded for receipt, storage and distribution of milk and ice cream products under the State Food Purchasing Program. Contracts were originally issued August 1, 2010, for one year with an optional one-year period. We are requesting to renew this contract for the optional one-year period. The contracted distributors will deliver the milk and ice cream products to participating Child Nutrition programs in all seven regions of the state. Payment will be made directly to the contracted distributor by the local organizations.

Scope of Contract:

- Term of Contract Renewal: August 1, 2010 – July 31, 2012
- Cost of Contract Renewal: No MDE funds will be expended
- Method of Award: Invitation for Bid

Recommendation: Approval