

OFFICE OF SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT, OVERSIGHT AND RECOVERY
Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items
October 20-21, 2011

OFFICE OF DROPOUT PREVENTION

**Office of Compulsory School Attendance Enforcement, Alternative Education/
GED and Counseling**

10. Approval to revise State Board Policy 3106 – Youth Detention Center Educational Provisions
(Has cleared the Administrative Procedures Act process with one public comment)

Executive Summary

In accordance with the Mississippi Code of 1972 section 43-21-321, the Mississippi Department of Education is responsible for the oversight of educational services provided to students placed in Youth Detention Centers. Mississippi State Board Policy 3106 was established last year which provided a uniformed method of operation for all 17 detention centers. The law was amended during the 2011 Legislative Session which allows sponsoring school districts to request financial reimbursement from the home school of any student receiving educational services.

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material attached