KENTUCKY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

STAFF NOTE

Review Item:

Strategic Plan Update

History/Background:

Existing Policy. At the October 2010 Kentucky Board of Education (KBE) meeting, adoption of the KBE Strategic Plan by the board occurred. The plan's vision is "Every child proficient and prepared for success." Its strategic priorities are Next-Generation Learners, Next-Generation Professionals, Next-Generation Support Systems, Next-Generation Schools/Districts, and Strategic Process Development for KDE Support and Guiding Processes. Objectives and goals for each strategic priority are in place and implemented through four delivery plans.

At the August meeting, Karen Dodd, Director of Strategic Planning, will share with the board via a PowerPoint presentation, that the Commissioner's Delivery Unit is in the process of performing annual reviews of all four delivery plans. Ms. Dodd will also advise the board that development has begun on a fifth delivery plan – Next-Generation Schools and Districts. Additionally, internal processes have been improved to better align with data collection. The result is that the department will have quarterly strategy assessments and quarterly notes to the Commissioner.

Dr. Dale Winkler, Associate Commissioner of the Office of Career & Technical Education, will present a summary of the most recent college and career ready (CCR) stocktake. Dr. Bart Liguori, Research Analyst in the Commissioner's Delivery Unit, will advise how TELL Kentucky data can be used to impact all strategies.

Impact on Getting to Proficiency:

Having a strategic plan with specific goals and targets so that progress can be measured is essential to students being proficient and prepared for success – college and career ready.

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