KENTUCKY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

STAFF NOTE

Review Item:

Status Update on School Districts in State Assistance

Applicable Statute or Regulation:

KRS 158.780, KRS 158.785 and 703 KAR 3:205

History/Background:

Robertson County School District (Robertson)

On October 8, 2013, the Kentucky Board of Education (KBE) approved Robertson as being designated as a state-assisted school district, with regular status updates to follow. Jim Hamm has been assigned from the Office of Next Generation School and Districts to act as the State Assistance Monitor for Robertson. David Murray has started as the new superintendent effective July 1, 2014. An updated 30/60/90-day plan for Robertson is attached.

Fleming County School District (Fleming)

On December 4, 2013, the KBE approved Fleming as being designated as a state-assisted school district, with regular status updates to follow. Jim Hamm has been assigned to act as the State Assistance Monitor for Fleming. Brian Creasman has started as the new superintendent effective September 1, 2014. An updated 30/60/90-day plan for Fleming is attached.

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