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Consent Agenda Item (Action Item): Approve the civics test that students must pass in order for them to receive a Kentucky high school diploma.

Applicable Statute or Regulation: With the addition to a new section to KRS Chapter 158, students are now required to pass a civics test in order to receive a standard Kentucky high school diploma.

Fiscal/Budgetary Impact: No budgetary impact.

History/Background: Beginning on July 1, 2018 to graduate from a Kentucky public high school with a regular diploma, a student shall pass a civics test composed of one hundred (100) questions drawn from those that are set forth within the civics test administered by the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services to persons seeking to become naturalized citizens.. A local board of education shall prepare or approve a test composed of the questions described in subsection one (1) of this section and shall disseminate the test to all public high schools of the district. The test shall be administered by the public high schools in each district.

Recommended Action: Approve as presented.

Contact Person(s): Ted George, Director – Human Resources



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