

## KENTUCKY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION STAFF NOTE

**Topic:** Amendments to 780 KAR 2:040, Live Work Projects (First Reading)

**Date:** August 2019

**Action Requested:**  Review  Action/Consent  Action/Discussion

**Held In:**  Full Board  Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment

Finance  Operations Management

### **SUMMARY OF ISSUE BEFORE THE BOARD:**

To review the proposed amendments to 780 KAR 2:040, Live work projects, which seek to bring the regulation and the document incorporated by reference up-to-date and provide clarifying amendments that are aimed at ensuring relevant and appropriate practices.

### **APPLICABLE STATUTE OR REGULATION:**

KRS 156.802(3), 780 KAR 2:140, HB 50 (2017)

### **BACKGROUND:**

#### *Existing Policy:*

KRS 156.802(3) gives the Kentucky Department of Education (KDE) the responsibility for all administrative functions of the state in relation to the management, control and operation of state-operated secondary area vocational education and technology centers.

This administrative regulation establishes the procedures for accepting live work projects in a Kentucky TECH facility (also known as an Area Technology Center, or ATC). The regulation defines live work projects and establishes the requirements for the acceptance and completion of such projects by a Kentucky TECH school.

#### *Summary of Issue:*

HB 50 (2017) provided amendments to KRS Chapter 13A that established state agency requirements for certifying, amending and/or repealing administrative regulations. The KDE has established a regulation review schedule to ensure compliance with HB 50 requirements; thus, this regulation is being brought forth to the Kentucky Board of Education (KBE) for certification with technical amendments that bring its content up-to-date. A summary of the proposed changes are highlighted within the attached table.

#### *Budget Impact:*

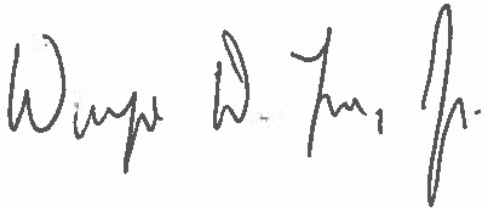
Amendments to 780 KAR 2:040 have no fiscal impact on state funds.

**GROUPS CONSULTED AND BRIEF SUMMARY OF RESPONSES:**

The regulation will go before the Local Superintendents Advisory Council (LSAC) at its July 30 meeting. Comments from this group should be received prior to the August KBE meeting. Additionally, leadership within the OCTEST Division of Technical Schools and Continuous Improvement have reviewed and support the proposed amendments.

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