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Senator Max Wise, Co-Chair
Interim Joint Committee on Education
702 Capital Avenue – Room 229
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Representative Regina Huff, Co-Chair
Interim Joint Committee on Education
702 Capital Avenue – Room 309
Frankfort, Kentucky 40601

RE: Agency Amendment to 703 KAR 5:270, Kentucky's Accountability System

Dear Co-Chairs Wise and Huff:

During the 2021 legislative session, Senate Bill (SB) 129 passed that amended KRS 158.6455 to add a Kentucky Department of Education technical advisory committee for the purpose of advising the department on assessment and accountability. This new technical advisory committee replaces the National Technical Advisory Panel on Assessment and Accountability (NTAPAA) in statute. Therefore, an amendment to Kentucky's accountability regulation, 703 KAR 5:270 is necessary.

After discussions with the Education Assessment and Accountability Review Subcommittee of the issues raised by SB 129 and 703 KAR 5:270, the Kentucky Board of Education proposes the attached agency amendment to 703 KAR 5:270.

Sincerely,

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After "Be advised by the", delete "National Technical Advisory Panel on Assessment and Accountability" and replace with "Kentucky Department of Education Technical Advisory Committee".