

## KENTUCKY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION STAFF NOTE

**Topic:** Approval of 702 KAR 1:115, Annual In-Service Training of District Board Members

**Date:** December 2021

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

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

### SUMMARY OF ISSUE BEFORE THE BOARD:

To take action to approve administrative regulation 702 KAR 1:115, Annual in-service training of district board members.

### COMMISSIONER'S RECOMMENDATION:

The Commissioner of Education recommends approval of 702 KAR 1:115, Annual in-service training of district board members.

### APPLICABLE STATUTE OR REGULATION:

KRS 160.180

### BACKGROUND:

#### *Existing Policy:*

KRS 160.180 establishes the annual in-service training requirements for all school board members and requires the Kentucky Board of Education (KBE) to identify the criteria for fulfilling the training requirements. The KBE had a long-standing regulation in place identifying the Kentucky School Boards Association as the main provider of annual training to local school board members and setting forth the criteria for fulfilling training requirements and making regular reports to the KBE.

#### *Summary of Issue:*

Due to an inadvertent recordkeeping error, the former regulation setting forth the criteria for local board member training expired pursuant to KRS 13A. However, this regulation is needed for continued operation of the local school board member training program and should be re-promulgated. No substantive changes have been made to regulation since its last effective date.

#### *Budget Impact:*

Approval of this administrative regulation has no budget impact on KDE or local school districts. Training is required pursuant to KRS 160.180 and is already paid for by local school districts.

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

Local Superintendents Advisory Council  
Kentucky School Boards Association

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