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Consent Agenda Item (Action Item):

Proposal to restructure Certified Special Education staff due to enrollment changes within the Floyd County School District.

Applicable State or Regulations:

KRS 162.90 Powers and Duties of the Local Board of Education

Fiscal/Budgetary Impact:

None

History/Background:

Additional students have enrolled within the district that are identified as having a Hearing Impairment. Floyd County Schools currently has one certified Hearing-Impaired Teacher and the maximum caseload limit for a HI teacher is 8. (currently 13 enrolled with IEP's in place) The Special Education student numbers have decreased at South Floyd Elementary and their certified LBD Special Education Staff will be reduced by one, (current vacancy) thus allowing for the restructuring without additional funds being needed.

Recommended Action:

Restructure the Certified Special Education Staff to address the current student needs within the district.

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