

To: Board of Education

From: Kevin Harrell, executive director, student services, ext. 2221

Re: IDEA Part B Assurances for KSDE

Date: September 22, 2016

Background:

Prior to receiving Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) funds, each Local Education Association (LEA) in the State of Kansas is required to make assurances to the Kansas State Department of Education (KSDE) regarding special education practices and procedures relating to students with disabilities. These assurances relate to budgeting requirements, eligibility, policies and procedures, and compliance with all state and federal laws.

Recommendation:

Administration recommends board approval for the IDEA Part B Assurances to be submitted to KSDE from USD 497 Lawrence Public Schools.

Motion:

"I move the Board of Education approve the IDEA Part B Assurances that will be submitted to the Kansas State Department of Education."