

**STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**SYNOPSIS AGENDA/EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

<b>CODE:</b>	PL-09
<b>COMMITTEE:</b>	Policy and Legislative
<b>DATE:</b>	April 12, 2016

**SUBJECT/TITLE**

Orangeburg Consolidated School District Four's (District) Waiver Request of 2 S.C. Code Ann. Regulation 43-261 (R.43-261), District Strategic and School Planning

**PURPOSE OF REPORT/REGULATION/ITEM**

The District is requesting a waiver in the form of a six-month extension of the submission of its five-year strategic and school renewal plans. The plans will be submitted to the South Carolina Department of Education (SCDE) on October 31, 2016.

**CRITICAL FACTS**

New five-year district strategic and school renewal plans for the District are due on April 30, 2016, as required by S.C. Code Ann. § 59-18-1310 (2012) and SBE R.43-261.

The District is scheduled for an AdvancEd Accreditation visit in February 2017. Prior to the visit, the District and each school will write new plans.

The District is requesting a six-month extension, until October 31, 2016, to submit the five-year district plan and school renewal plans.

The District will submit the annual update to the SCDE no later than April 30, 2016.

**TIMELINE/REVIEW PROCESS**

April 30, 2016	Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. § 59-18-1310 and SBE R.43-261, the District and all its schools are scheduled to submit new five-year strategic plans and school renewal plans. The District will submit an update to the existing strategic plan.
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October 31, 2016	The District will submit new five-year strategic and school renewal plans for the entire district.
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**ECONOMIC IMPACT**

**COST:** N/A

**FUND/SOURCE:** N/A

**ATTACHMENTS**

**Attachments:**  yes  no

**(attachments must be submitted with synopsis)**

**Name of Attachments:** Orangeburg Consolidated School District Four's Waiver Request

**RECOMMENDATION**

The SCDE recommends approval of the following motion: "The SBE approves the waiver of R.43-261 for Orangeburg Consolidated School District Four to allow a six-month extension, from April 30, 2016, to October 31, 2016, of the requirement to submit the five-year district strategic and school renewal plans."

**ACTION REQUEST**

FOR APPROVAL:

FOR INFORMATION ONLY: