

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

SYNOPSIS AGENDA/EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

CODE: EP-04
COMMITTEE: Education Professions (EP)
DATE: May 11, 2016

SUBJECT/TITLE

Overview of the Office of Educator Services

PURPOSE OF REPORT/REGULATION/ITEM

This report will provide an overview of the mission, functional areas, staff, and work of the Office of Educator Services.

CRITICAL FACTS

The Office of Educator Services is the primary point of contact in the agency for South Carolina's educators and oversees the credentialing process for these educators. The work of the office encompasses educator preparation, educator recruitment and recognition, professional practices, educator certification, and alternative certification.

TIMELINE/REVIEW PROCESS

- April 2016 The chair of the Education Professions Committee (EPC) requested an overview of the Office of Educator Services.
- May 2016 Staff members in the Office of Educator Services present informational overview.

ECONOMIC IMPACT

COST: N/A
FUND/SOURCE: N/A

ATTACHMENTS

Attachments: yes no

(attachments must be submitted with synopsis)

Name of Attachments: (name of attachment(s) if any)

RECOMMENDATION

This item is presented for information only.

ACTION REQUEST

FOR APPROVAL:

FOR INFORMATION ONLY: