VICKSBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

Board of Education Special Meeting – Open Session January 16, 2017 – 6:15 pm – VHS MINUTES

Members Present: Wil Emmert, Virgil Knowles, Rudy Callen, Tina Forsyth, Carol Lohman

Members Absent: David Schriemer, Deborah Harsha Administrators Present: Keevin O'Neill, Adam Brush

Guests Present: Student 2016-17B and family

I. STUDENT DISCIPLINE HEARING - Student 2016-17B

- A. Call to Order: President Knowles called the meeting to order at 6:19 pm
- B. Audience: No one wished to address the Board on a non-agenda item.
- C. Closed Session: Approval to go into Closed Session at the request of the student and parents, which is in accordance with Public Act #267, Section 8(a) of the Open Meetings Act of 1976, as amended ROLL CALL VOTE: A motion was made by Emmert and supported by Callen for approval.

Ayes: Emmert, Knowles, Callen, Forsyth, Lohman

Nays: None

Absent: Schriemer, Harsha

Abstain: None Motion carried.

II. BOARD ACTION

A. Approval of Vicksburg High School (VHS) Administration's recommendation of expulsion under the VHS Handbook, page 27, Section SS, Weapons: Dangerous Weapons; Administrative Guideline 5500E, Vicksburg Community Schools Policy 5610; Administrative Guideline 5610; and Policy 5610.01, for one full semester, eligible for possible reinstatement in September 2017.

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President Knowles informed the family of the conditions of expulsion. There being no further business to come before the Board, President Knowles adjourned the meeting at 6:51 pm.

President Virgil Knowles	Secretary Karen Hill	
Date: February 13, 2017	•	