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TO: Board of Education

FROM: Dr. Carol Kelley

SUBJECT: National Center for Education Research and Technology (NCERT)

DATE: February 23, 2016

I have been invited to become a member of the National Center for Education Research and Technology (NCERT), which is a network of the country's top creative and innovative superintendents, and leaders of the industries they depend upon for technology and research.

This is an exciting opportunity for the district, as we will have a direct connection with the movers and shakers in my field. Please see the attached introductory letter, letter of agreement and invoice for consideration. Please note that the expenses (air travel, hotel room, registration, materials and conference meals) for the two annual conferences hosted by NCERT are included in the membership fee.

With Board approval, I would like to bring this item back to the Board for action during the March 15, 2016 Board meeting.

Enclosures