LEVELLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

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Amendment to the District of Innovation

Subject: Plan Related Page(s) Attachment

ACTION

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Levelland ISD currently has a District of Innovation (DOI) plan in place that allows flexibility and more local control to meet the needs of the students and District. It also allows the District to obtain exemptions from certain provisions of the Texas Education Code (TEC). An exemption the District is seeking to add to its current DOI plan is with TEC Chapter 26A as it pertains to complaints and grievances policies DGBA (LEGAL & LOCAL), FNG (LEGAL & LOCAL), and GF (LEGAL & LOCAL).

ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATION

Levelland ISD feels it is in the best interest of the District to amend our current DOI plan to include an exemption from TEC Chapter 26A as it pertains to District policies DGBA (LEGAL & LOCAL), FNG (LEGAL & LOCAL), and GF (LEGAL & LOCAL). By exempting out of the current requirements the District will be able to continue following established grievance procedures as outlined in previous policy. This will allow the District to hear and consider parent and employee complaints in an orderly and responsive manner and to resolve those concerns as quickly as possible.

As required, Levelland ISD's District Advisory Committee approved the proposed plan on December 2, 2025.

ADMINISTRATIVE RECOMMENDATION

The administration is asking the Board to approve the amendment to the District of Innovation plan as presented.

BOARD ACTION REQUIRED