<u>3E. Action</u> October 24, 2005

SUBJECT: LOCAL POLICY UPDATES CKB, DEC, DNA, EIC, EIF, FDA, and

<u>FFAB</u>

BOARD GOAL: All students will achieve educational excellence.

FISCAL NOTE: None

Background Information:

- 1. It is necessary to occasionally update individual policies beyond what we receive as an Update from TASB (Texas Association of School Boards).
- 2. Several policies need adjusting to accommodate new positions.
- 3. The Policy Committee has reviewed changes to CKB, DEC, DNA, EIC, EIF, FDA, and FFAB.

Administrative Considerations:

Local policies with recommended changes

- The following local policies are being submitted for consideration for approval. The purpose of the requested changes for each policy is noted below.
 - CKB local SAFETY PROGRAM/RISK MANAGEMENT: ACCIDENT PREVENTION AND REPORTS
 - Additions to include new information regarding protective equipment
 - These changes bring us into compliance with Career and Technology requirements for protective equipment for students.
 - No change since preview
 - DEC local COMPENSATION AND BENEFITS: LEAVES AND ABSENCES.
 - Change in policy to include a restriction on number of days for leave
 - Deleted paragraph for clarity
 - o DNA local PERFORMANCE APPRAISAL: EVALUATION OF TEACHERS
 - Based on discussions at the Board Meeting on October 10, 2005, the only change to the current policy is removal of information regarding scoring when a second appraiser is used.

That information is now included with other information in the Administrative Regulations for this policy.

- EIC local ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT: CLASS RANKING
 - Revisions as presented for clarification
 - Additional revisions to policy will be sent to the Curriculum Committee for review prior to next school year
- EIF local ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT: GRADUATION
 - Changes to clarify that students who complete Algebra I in middle school are required to take an additional three math courses during grades 9-12
 - These changes will assist parents in better understanding the implications of students taking Algebra I in middle school. This is not a change in practice, only a clarification in policy
 - No change since preview
- FDA local ADMISSIONS: INTERDISTRICT TRANSFERS
 - Change to refer to Administrative Regulations and delete references to tuition payments
 - Changed reference to Regulation
 - Deleted paragraph regarding tuition
- FFAB local HEALTH REQUIREMENTS AND SERVICES: IMMUNIZATIONS
 - Changes to clarify immunization requirements for students transferring from out of state
 - No change since preview

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The administration recommends that the Board of Trustees approve the local policy updates as presented.

Respectfully submitted,

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