

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Action Item

February 19, 2008

SUBJECT: Approval of Proposed Class Size Reduction Transfer Calculation

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

For Approval

AUTHORITY FOR STATE BOARD ACTION

Section 1003.03(4), Florida Statutes

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Based on the October 2007 student membership survey, there were 88 schools in 31 districts that were not in compliance with the requirement to either reduce the school average by two students from the previous year or meet the constitutional maximums. The appeal process for affected districts began November 30, 2007. Appeals were received from districts and charter schools that were out of compliance. The recommendation for a transfer calculation is presented for approval based on the completion of the review of the appeals. Additionally, recommendations for school district eligibility for Voluntary Pre-K Programs will be provided.

Supporting Documentation Included: Class Size Reduction Transfer Calculation

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