

**To: Members of the State Board of
Education & Early Development**

March 11, 2025

From: Dr. Deena Bishop, Commissioner

Agenda Item: 7

◆ ISSUE

This is a standing report to the board regarding legislation and budget.

◆ BACKGROUND

- The board will be briefed on the status of the department's FY2026 budget, including any changes made to the budget through Governor's Amended and the House and Senate Finance Subcommittees.
- The board will be briefed on current legislation for the 2025 legislative session that affects the department.
- Monique Siverly, Administrative Services Director-Acting, and Jacob Almeida, Legislative Liaison, will be present to brief the board.

◆ OPTIONS

This is an information update. No action is required.