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STATEMENT OF CONSIDERATION
RELATING TO 704 KAR 5:070
Common Kindergarten Entry Screener
Kentucky Department of Education

Not Amended After Comments

1. A public hearing was scheduled on the above regulation on May 21, 2015 at 1:00 p.m. Eastern Time, in the State Board Room, Kentucky Department of Education, 500 Mero Street, 1st Floor, Frankfort, Kentucky. The hearing was cancelled when no one registered to attend or presented at the noticed time to provide comments.

2. The following individuals submitted written comments:

Name and Title	Agency/Organization/Entity/Other
Donna M. Hargens, Superintendent	Jefferson County Public Schools

3. The following people from the promulgating administrative body responded to the written comments:

Name and Title
Kevin C. Brown, General Counsel/Associate Commissioner, Office of Guiding Support Services
Todd G. Allen, Assistant General Counsel, Office of Guiding Support Services
Amanda Ellis, Associate Commissioner, Office of Next Generation Learners
Gretta Hylton, Policy Advisor, Office of Next Generation Learners

Summary of Comments and Responses

1. Subject Matter: Data Collection and Reporting Deadline

(a) Comment: Jefferson County Public Schools ("JCPS") commented that it opposes the decrease from 30 days to 15 instructional days for schools to enter results of the common kindergarten entry screener into the student information system. JCPS advocates that meeting this deadline will prove difficult for large districts to complete data entry, verification and data cleanup within 15 instructional days following administration of the screener.

(b) Response: Upon consideration, the agency declines to make changes to the regulation. Following the data entry deadline, the Kentucky Department of Education ("KDE") provides districts with the opportunity to review and correct reported data. Entry data indicates that during the last reporting cycle, JCPS entered screener results for over 93% of screened students

on or before October 15th, the proposed entry deadline. The benefits of more timely data collection and reporting outweigh the burden on districts to report by the proposed deadlines.

No amendments have been made in response to these comments.

Summary of Statement of Consideration
Action Taken by Promulgating Administrative Body

The Kentucky Department of Education received and responded to one comment from the public regarding proposed amendments to 704 KAR 5:070. Commenter advocated for a change in the proposed data reporting deadline set forth in the amended regulation. KDE declined to make changes to the regulation as proposed by commenter.