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STATE ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN MEETS NOV. 19-21

(FRANKFORT, Ky.) – The State Advisory Council for Exceptional Children will meet Nov. 19-21 during the 52nd

Annual Exceptional Children’s Conference at the Galt House in Louisville.

The duties of the council are to:

- Advise the Department of Education, Board of Education, Education Professional Standards Board, and School Curriculum, Assessment and Accountability Council of unmet needs and desired program changes within the Commonwealth related to the education of children with disabilities, including the suggestion of corrective action plans and personnel development needs;
- Review and comment on rules or regulations proposed by the Commonwealth relating to the education of children with disabilities and the procedures for distribution of funds under Part B of Public Law 101-476;
- Review and comment on written findings of fact and decisions from due process hearings, including other reports issued by federal and state authorities relating to exceptional children;
- Advise the Kentucky Department of Education, the Justice Cabinet and other public agencies on eligible students with disabilities in state and local prisons; and
- Provide opportunities for public input through regularly scheduled public hearings or during general meetings.

The State Advisory Council for Exceptional Children is comprised of 15-21 voting members appointed by the Governor, the majority of whom are individuals with disabilities or parents of children with disabilities ages birth through 26. A list of the current membership may be accessed on the State Advisory Council for Exceptional Children page on the Kentucky Department of Education website.

An agenda for the November meeting follows.

STATE ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN (SACEC)

52nd Annual Exceptional Children’s Conference

The Galt House, Louisville, KY

November 19-21, 2017

AGENDA

Sunday, November 19, 2017

1 p.m. ET	Exceptional Children’s Conference Concurrent breakout sessions
4 p.m.	SACEC Orientation Training and Priority Setting
8 p.m.	Recess

Monday, November 20, 2017

8 a.m.-5 p.m.	General Business Session I, Sampson Room
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8 a.m.	Opening Remarks
9 a.m.	Data Analysis Overview of Significant Disproportionality and CEIS for Kentucky
10 a.m.	General Session, Grand Ballroom

	Awards ceremony
	Keynote address
Noon	Lunch
1:15 p.m.	Public Forum, Sampson Room
2:15 p.m.	Significant Disproportionality Data Scenarios
3:15 p.m.	Break
3:30 p.m.	Data Analysis and SACEC Recommendations
4:15 p.m.	Council Planning
5 p.m.	Recess

Tuesday, November 21, 2017

8:30 a.m.-noon General Business Session II

8:30 a.m.	Opening Remarks
8:45 a.m.	KDE Update
9 a.m.	KDE Strategic Plan/State Systemic Improvement Plan (SSIP) update
9:45 a.m.	Break
10 a.m.	State Performance Plan/Annual Performance Report (SPP/APR) update
10:45 a.m.	Cooperative Update
11:30 a.m.	Council planning
Noon	Adjournment

The next meeting of the SACEC is scheduled for Feb. 8-9, 2018 at the Capital Plaza Hotel in Frankfort.

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