

**TO:** Roger Breed, Ed.D.  
Commissioner of Education

**FROM:** Marilyn Peterson, Administrator  
Federal Programs and Data Services

**SUBJECT:** CCSSO State Collaborative Work Groups

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### **PROPOSED BOARD ACTION**

**Consent Item:** Authorize the Commissioner to purchase membership in various CCSSO State Collaborative Work Groups

### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

Nebraska's continued participation in the collaborative work groups with multiple states provides necessary information and the opportunity for input. The work groups are: Assessing Special Education Students (ASES); Accountability Systems and Reporting (ASR), Science Education Assessment Project, Social Sciences Assessment, Curriculum, and Instruction (SSACI), Math, English Language Development (ELL); English Language Development Assessment (ELDA); Early Childhood Education Assessment (ECEA), and the State Collaborative for Career Technical Education Assessment (SCCTEA). Nebraska also belongs to the Interstate Migrant Education Council (IMEC), and the Education Information Management Advisory Council (EIMAC) that are operated out of CCSSO.

#### **Estimated Cost**

\$16,500 from the IDEA Administration funds  
\$22,000 from Migrant Technical Assistance funds  
\$142,000 from NCLB Assessment and Statewide Activity funds

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