August 1, 2025

Interim Joint Committee on Appropriations & Revenue

Jennifer Hays, Committee Staff Administrator

702 Capital Ave

Frankfort, KY 40601

RE: House Bill 6 Kentucky Department of Education Report

Dear Co-Chairs Senator McDaniel and Representative Petrie:

House Bill 6 (2024) requires the Kentucky Department of Education (KDE) to provide a report by August 1 of each year to the Interim Joint Committee on Appropriations and Revenue. House Bill 6 states in relevant part:

At a minimum, the report shall include: (a) A count and list, by name, of all full-time, part-time, and interim employees employed under KRS Chapter 18A; (b) A count and list, by name, of all contract employees; (c) The position title, Kentucky Department of Education office served, and primary work location of every employee; (d) The employees’ level of compensation, on an annualized basis, including the percentage of all fund sources used to compensate the employee; and (e) For contract employees, the start and end date of the relevant contract, as well as the name of any entity involved in administering the contract.

Please allow the three attached spreadsheets to serve as the required report. The spreadsheets include a listing of KDE employees employed pursuant to KRS 18A, KRS 156, and KRS 161; individuals working at KDE pursuant to a Memorandum of Agreement; and IT contractors working pursuant to a state Master Agreement. A copy of KDE’s organizational chart has also been provided.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



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