

CHAPTER 33**(HB 242)**

AN ACT relating to reorganization.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:

Section 1. KRS 151B.030 is amended to read as follows:

The Department for Technical Education shall be divided according to the following organizational structure:

- (1) The commissioner of the Department for Technical Education shall appoint a deputy commissioner for technical education pursuant to KRS 12.050, who shall serve as secretary to the State Board for Adult and Technical Education.
- (2) There is hereby created a Division of Administrative Services within the Department for Technical Education. The division shall be headed by a director appointed by the commissioner of the Department for Technical Education. The division shall be composed of organizational entities as deemed appropriate by the commissioner of the Department for Technical Education as set forth by administrative order.
- (3) There is hereby created *a Division of School Services within the Department for Technical Education. The Division of School Services shall be headed by a director appointed by the commissioner of the Department for Technical Education under KRS 12.050. The Division of School Services shall be composed of such organizational entities as deemed appropriate by the Secretary of the Cabinet for Workforce Development as set forth by administrative order*~~[an Office of Area Vocational Education and Technology Centers within the Department for Technical Education. The office shall be headed by an office head appointed by the commissioner of the Department for Technical Education pursuant to KRS 12.050. The office head shall be an individual with a background in school administration and supervision and shall be otherwise reasonably qualified to carry out the duties of the office. The office shall be comprised of the system of state-operated secondary area vocational education and technology centers. The office shall be composed of the Division of School Management, the Division of Curriculum Services, an Ombudsman, and an assistant for budget analysis. Each division shall be headed by a director appointed by the commissioner of the Department for Technical Education and shall be composed of such organizational entities as deemed appropriate by the commissioner of the Department for Technical Education as set forth by administrative order].~~
- (4) *The commissioner shall appoint an Ombudsman, and specify his functions and duties.*

Section 2. The General Assembly confirms Executive Order 98-1595, dated December 3, 1998, as amended by Executive Order 99-1597, dated December 3, 1999, to the extent that it is not otherwise confirmed by this Act.

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