Report of the State Board of Education Committee of the Full Board July 15, 2014

The State Board of Education Committee of the Full Board met at 2:07 p.m. on Tuesday, July 15, 2014, in the State Board of Education Room, #1-104, of the William B. Travis Building, 1701 N. Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas. The following members of the committee were present:

<u>Presiding</u>: Barbara Cargill, chair; Lawrence A. Allen, Jr.; Donna Bahorich; Ruben Cortez, Jr.; Martha M. Dominguez; Pat Hardy; Mavis B. Knight; Sue Melton-Malone; Ken Mercer; Geraldine "Tincy" Miller; Marisa B. Perez; Thomas Ratliff; Marty Rowley

Absent: Tom Maynard; David Bradley

Public Testimony

This item provides an opportunity for the public to present testimony at the time the related item comes up for committee discussion or action. The procedures for registering and taking public testimony at State Board of Education committee meetings and general board meetings are provided at <u>http://www.tea.state.tx.us/index4.aspx?id=25769804094</u> or in the information section (yellow pages) of the agenda.

The Committee of the Full Board received no presentations of public testimony.

DISCUSSION ITEM

1. Discussion of Standards Writing Process for the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS)

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Shirley Dixon, the standards writing adviser for the State Board of Education, provided training to the board members regarding best practices for curriculum standards development.

Mrs. Cargill adjourned the meeting at 4:25 p.m.