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Proprietary School Advisory Committee Appointments

Coordinating Board for Higher Education

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BACKGROUND

The Proprietary School Advisory Committee (PSAC), established by Section 173.614, RSMo, is a seven-member committee charged with the following responsibilities:

- Advise the Coordinating Board for Higher Education (CBHE) in administration of the proprietary school certification program;
- Make recommendations with respect to rules and regulations establishing minimum standards of operation; and
- Advise the CBHE with respect to grievances and complaints.

Members of PSAC are individual proprietors, general partners of a partnership, or managerial employees of proprietary schools who are appointed by the Commissioner and serve three-year terms. In addition, the statute requires at least three members of the committee represent degree-granting schools, at least one of which must grant a baccalaureate or higher-level degree.

CURRENT STATUS

The Commissioner recently appointed two individuals to fill vacant PSAC terms. Those appointments include Mr. Brad Ball (Roadmaster Drivers School) and Mr. Stephen Gillmore (W.T.I. Joplin). An updated PSAC Membership Roster, effective January 2024, is provided in the attachment.

NEXT STEPS

Department staff will identify reappointments or new committee members during 2024 to recommend for appointment when two terms are vacated beginning in 2025.

RECOMMENDATION

This is an information item only.

ATTACHMENTS

- Attachment A: PSAC Membership Roster Effective January 2024