

Board Members Policy 1.200

The Background:

Tennessee Code Annotated § 49-1-301 specifies the composition and structure of the State Board of Education. Recent legislative changes necessitate several updates to this policy. In addition, the policy was due for review as part of the regular policy audit cycle Board staff have implemented in recent years. The current Board Members Policy had not been updated since 2008.

The most substantive change is that, as per Public Chapter 539 of 2018, the terms of the chair and vice chair are revised from four years to two years effective January 1, 2019.

The Recommendation:

The SBE staff recommends acceptance of this item on first reading.