



Exhibit B – Flexibility Component of Contract For the Long County School District

Under O.C.G.A. § 20-2-80 and SBOE Rule 160-5-1-.33, The Long County School District is seeking flexibility for all its schools from the following state statutes and associated rules in exchange for greater accountability (as outlined in the SWSS Partnership Contract) over the life of a five-year contract which allows for six years of flexibility between the Long County School District Board of Education and the Georgia State Board of Education, except as prohibited in O.C.G.A. § 20-2-82(e).

- Categorical Allotment requirements, Article 6 of Chapter 2 of Title 20 (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-167, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-183 to 20-2-186)
- Certification requirements (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-108, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-200, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-201, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-204, and O.C.G.A. § 20-2-206)
- Class-size and Reporting requirements (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-151(b), O.C.G.A. § 20-2-154, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-182(h), O.C.G.A. § 20-2-187(b) (flexibility with respect to social graces and etiquette))
- Competencies and Core Curriculum, Online Learning (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-140.1, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-142)
- Direct Classroom Expenditures and Expenditure Controls (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-171)
- Educational Programs (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-151, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-151.2, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-153, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-154, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-154.1, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-155, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-156)
- Education Program for Gifted Students (SBOE Rule 160-4-2-.38)
- ELL Program Requirements (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-156)
- Conditions of Employment (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-218)
- Graduation Requirements for the purpose of substitution of equivalent or higher level requirements which will assist students in acquiring the knowledge and skills necessary to be successful as they continue their education at the postsecondary level and/or enter the workforce (SBOE Rules 160-4-2-.47 and 160-4-2-.48)
- Health and Physical Education Program except as prohibited by O.C.G.A. § 20-2-82(e) (SBOE Rule 160-4-2-.12)
- Instructional Extension (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-184.1)
- Organization of Schools; Middle School Programs; Schedule (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-290)
- Personnel Required (SBOE Rule 160-5-1-.22)
- Promotion and Retention (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-283, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-284)
- Program Enrollment & Appropriation except to the extent it relates to funding (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-160)
- QBE Financing except to the extent it relates to funding (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-161)
- Salary Schedule requirements (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-212)
- Scheduling for Instruction except to the extent it relates to funding (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-160(a), O.C.G.A. § 20-2-165, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-168(c))
- School Day and Year for Students and Employees (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-151, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-160(a), O.C.G.A. § 20-2-168(c))
- Statewide Passing Score (SBOE Rule 160-4-2-.13(2)(a) and (2)(c))