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TO: State Board of Education
FROM: Thomas D. Watkins, Jr.
SUBJECT: Report on Approval of New or Revised Teacher Education Programs

Under Executive Order 1996-12, the authority to approve new teacher education programs and modifications to existing programs was transferred from the State Board of Education to the Superintendent.

The following teacher education programs have been approved by the Superintendent:

- Approval of Proposal from Central Michigan University for a Revised Vocational Family and Consumer Sciences (VH) Program as a Major at the Secondary Level
- Approval of Proposal from the University of Detroit Mercy for a Revised Language Arts (BX) Program as a Group Major, as a Group Minor, and as an Additional Endorsement at the Elementary Level
- Approval of Proposal from the University of Michigan–Flint for a Revised Reading Specialist (BR) Program as an Additional K-12 Endorsement at the Elementary and Secondary Level
- Approval of Proposal from the Office of Special Education and Early Intervention Services, in Collaboration with Six Teacher Preparation Institutions, for a New Autism (SV) Program as a K-12 Additional Endorsement at the Elementary and Secondary Level
 - Central Michigan University
 - Eastern Michigan University
 - Grand Valley State University
 - Northern Michigan University
 - Oakland University
 - Wayne State University

The program descriptions, standards, and required and elective courses are available for review upon request.

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