#### **MEMORANDUM**

To:

**Board of Regents** 

From:

**Board Office** 

Subject:

Salary Policy for Faculty of Special Schools

Date:

May 8, 2000

## **Recommended Actions:**

- 1. Approve the faculty salary schedule for the Iowa School for the Deaf and the Iowa Braille and Sight Saving School for fiscal year 2001 (Attachment A).
- 2. Approve the proposed supplemental pay schedules for extracurricular activities at the special schools in fiscal year 2001 (Attachments B and C).

#### **Executive Summary:**

The pay matrix for the faculty at the Iowa School for the Deaf and the Iowa Braille and Sight Saving School will be increased 2.5% with a cost of 4.2% at ISD and 4.4% at IBSSS. Faculty not at the top step will receive step increases. Faculty attaining additional education may move horizontally on the matrix in addition to receiving step increases.

The compensation for the professional certifications to AER (Association for the Education and Rehabilitation of Blind and Visually Handicapped) and in CED (Council of Educators for the Deaf) will not be changed. The Iowa School for the Deaf is proposing no change to its extra-curricular pay scale. The Iowa Braille and Sight Saving School is proposing revisions to its extra-curricular scale which will increase the cost from approximately \$19,500 this school year to approximately \$43,500 next school year.

The recommended actions are consistent with the pay policies established in the salary bill passed by the General Assembly. It is expected that the salary policy will not be fully funded from state appropriations.

## Background and Analysis:

In accordance with Iowa Code §262.9(2), the Board appoints institutional employees and fixes their compensation.

The salary increase for the fiscal year 2001 pay policy for faculty of the special schools is within the salary parameters established by the state.

The Iowa Braille and Sight Saving School proposes to change its compensation practice for extra-curricular activities from payment of a lump sum for coaching or sponsorship of various activities to payment based upon a set percentage of the annual salary of the person providing the service. The percentages would range from 4% for coaching of Special Olympics activities to 10% for the wrestling coach. Compensation is proposed for three new functions for the 2000-01 year -- Athletic Director, Journalism Sponsor, and Chaperone for away from school activities. The cost associated with the extra-curricular activities for For 2000-2001, the cost will be 1999-2000 was approximately \$19,500. approximately \$43,500. Superintendent Thurman reports these changes are needed in order to attract staff to provide the extra-curricular services.

The total cost of the fiscal year 2001 pay policy for the faculty of the special schools is 4.2% at ISD and 4.4% at IBSSS.

The Iowa Association of School Boards reports on May 3 that the average salary increase for K-12 school districts for 2001-01 is 4%. The 2000-01 starting salary in the Council Bluffs schools is \$23,450 (an average increase of 4.75%) and in Vinton-Shellsburg the starting salary is \$23,000 (an average increase of 3.3%). The Lewis Central school district has not yet reached agreement. The starting salary for the special schools is \$27,211.

Approval of the salary policy for the faculty of the special schools is recommended.

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## IOWA SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF AND IOWA BRAILLE AND SIGHT SAVING SCHOOL FACULTY 2000-2001 ACADEMIC YEAR

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DEGREE	BA	BA + 15	BA + 30	MA	MA + 15	MA+30	ED SPEC
Beginning	\$27,211	\$28,572	\$29,932	\$32,653	\$34,014	\$35,374	\$36,735
Step 1	\$27,755	\$29,143	\$30,531	\$33,306	\$34,694	\$36,082	\$37,470
Step 2	\$28,310	\$29,726	\$31,141	\$33,972	\$35,388	\$36,803	\$38,219
Step 3	\$28,877	\$30,320	\$31,764	\$34,652	\$36,096	\$37,539	\$38,983
Step 4	\$29,454	\$30,927	\$32,399	\$35,345	\$36,818	\$38,290	\$39,763
Step 5	\$30,043	\$31,545	\$33,047	\$36,052	\$37,554	\$39,056	\$40,558
Step 6	\$30,644	\$32,176	\$33,708	\$36,773	\$38,305	\$39,837	\$41,369
Step 7	\$31,257	\$32,820	\$34,383	\$37,508	\$39,071	\$40,634	\$42,197
Step 8	\$31,882	\$33,476	\$35,070	\$38,258	\$39,853	\$41,447	\$43,041
Step 9		\$34,146	\$35,772	\$39,024	\$40,650	\$42,276	\$43,902
Step 10		\$34,829	\$36,487	\$39,804	\$41,463	\$43,121	\$44,780
Step 11		\$35,525	\$37,217	\$40,600	\$42,292	\$43,983	\$45,675
Step 12			\$37,961	\$41,412	\$43,138	\$44,863	\$46,589
Step 13			\$38,720	\$42,240	\$44,000	\$45,760	\$47,520
Step 14			\$39,495	\$43,085	\$44,880	\$46,676	\$48,471
Step 15				\$43,947	\$45,778	\$47,609	\$49,440
Step 16				\$44,826	\$46,694	\$48,561	\$50,429
Step 17					\$47,627	\$49,533	\$51,438
Step 18					\$48,580	\$50,523	\$52,466
Step 19						\$51,534	\$53,516
Step 20						\$52,564	\$54,586

Plus certifications: Sign Language Certification: \$100 AA(AER) or Prov. CED \$480 Intermediate Plus \$200 AAA(AER) or Perm. CED \$900 Advanced Other Advanced Plus \$300 Superior \$400 Professional Superior Plus \$500 \$480 or \$900 Certifications

For individuals with an appropriate Ph.D., the Superintendent has authority to pay 10% above the person's relative position on the Ed. Spec. track.

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# Iowa Braille and Sight Saving School Extra-curricular Activities Fiscal Year 2001

	Fiscal		
	Year 2001	Fiscal	
	Percent of	Year	
	Base	2000	
	Salary	Amount	
Track & Field Coach - Boys	6%	1,794	
Track & Field Coach - Girls	6%	1,794	
Wrestling Coach	10%	1,473	
Cheerleading Coach	10%	1,794	
Swimming Coach - Boys	6%	1,794	
Swimming Coach - Girls	6%	1,794	
Forensics Coach	6%	1,794	
Special Olympics Track Coach	4%	1,178	
Special Olympics Bowling Coach	4%	1,178	
Special Olympics Cheerleading Coach	4%	1,178	
Student Activities Sponsor	·- 6%	1,473	
Athletic Director (new beg. FY01)	6%	n/a	
Journalism Sponsor (new beg. FY01)	6%	n/a	
Chaperone (\$400 x 12 weekends)		n/a	