

**Virginia Board of Education**  
**Committee on School and Division Accountability**  
**Wednesday, March 26, 2014**  
**1:00 p.m.**

**22nd Floor Conference Room, James Monroe Building 101 N. 14th Street,  
Richmond, Virginia**

- I. Welcome and Opening Comments  
*Mrs. Diane Atkinson, Chair*
- II. Approval of Minutes of the February 26, 2014 Committee Meeting
- III. Public Comment \*
- IV. Requests for Renewal of Alternative Accreditation Plans from Albemarle County Public Schools, Chesterfield County Public Schools, Danville City Public Schools and Fairfax County Public Schools  
*Dr. Kathleen Smith, Director, School Improvement*
- V. Request for Renewal of Alternative Accreditation Plans from Bland County Public Schools, Town of Colonial Beach Public Schools, Craig County Public Schools, Danville City Public Schools, Highland County Public Schools, Richmond City Public Schools, Scott County Public Schools and York County Public Schools for High Schools with a Graduation Cohort of Fifty (50) or Fewer Students  
*Dr. Kathleen Smith, Director, School Improvement*
- VI. Discussion of Waiver of Certain Accrediting Standards and Approval of an Innovative or Experimental Program from Norfolk City Public Schools  
*Anne Wescott, Assistant Superintendent for Policy and Communications*
- VII. Virginia's Application for a One-Year Extension of Waivers from Certain Requirements of the *Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (ESEA)*  
*Veronica Tate, Director, Office of Program Administration and Accountability*
- VIII. Closed Session for Legal Counsel
- IX. Adjournment

\* The Accountability Committee is pleased to receive public comment. In order to allow the committee sufficient time for its other business, individuals seeking to speak to the board will be allotted three (3) minutes each. Those wishing to speak should contact the Department of Education at (804) 225-2924. In order to make the limited time available most effective, speakers are urged to provide eleven (11) written copies of their comments or other material amplifying their views.