

MINNESOTA STATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES
BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Agenda Item Summary Sheet

Committee: Audit Committee

Date of Meeting July 20, 2010

Agenda Item: Status Report on Office of the Legislative Auditor Program Evaluation

Proposed Policy

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Information

Policy requirement, or explain why item is on the Board agenda:

Board Chair David Olson had committed requested that the Audit Committee monitor progress toward resolving the findings cited by the Legislative Auditor in its February 2010 report on MnSCU System Office.

Presented by:

Scott Thiss, Executive Director, Office of Internal Auditing
Scott Thiss, Deputy Director, Office of Internal Auditing

Key Points/Policy Issues:

This program evaluation focused on questions regarding the size and performance of the central administrative office of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities.

Background Information:

This evaluation was conducted at the request of Chancellor McCormick and former Board Chair David Olson and with the approval of the Legislative Audit Commission.

The report was released publicly in February 2010 and contained twelve recommendations.

Former Board Chair David Olson based on advice from former Audit Committee Chair Scott Thiss referred the evaluation recommendations to various board committees for review and resolution.

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BOARD INFORMATION

STATUS REPORT ON OFFICE OF THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR
PROGRAM EVALUATION

BACKGROUND

An updated status report will be distributed at the Audit Committee meeting on July 20, 2010. Copies of the program evaluation report are available on the Office of the Legislative Auditor Web site at <http://www.auditor.leg.state.mn.us/PED/2010/mnscu.htm>

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