

ANSWER BY LETTER: WIELER

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION: Review and certification of State Plan
VOCATIONAL EDUCATION ACT: of State Board of Education under the
FEDERAL-STATE AGREEMENTS: Vocational Education Act of 1963, as
amended.

June 18, 1969



Mr. B. W. Robinson
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Director, Vocational Education
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OPINION LETTER NO. 301

Dear Mr. Robinson:

This is in answer to your request for our review of the proposed State Plan for Vocational Education, which was written to comply with the Vocational Education Act of 1963, as amended by Title I of the Vocational Education Amendments of 1968 (Public Law 90-576).

It is the opinion of this office that the Missouri State Board of Education is the State Board in this state within the meaning of Section 108(8) of Public Law 90-576, that said Board has the authority under state law to submit a State Plan, that said Board has the authority to administer or supervise the administration of the proposed State Plan, that all the provisions of the proposed plan can be carried out by the state, and that the Missouri State Commissioner of Education has been duly authorized by the Missouri State Board of Education to submit the proposed State Plan and to represent the Missouri State Board of Education in all matters pertaining thereto. See Sections 178.430, 178.440, 161.112, and 161.132, RSMo 1967 Supp.

In conjunction with this letter opinion which constitutes our official certification of the proposed State Plan, we have completed the form "Certificate of Attorney General" as required by the U. S. Commissioner of Education.

Very truly yours,

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Attorney General

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