Exhibit B – Flexibility Component of Contract

For the Lanier County School District

Under O.C.G.A. § 20-2-80 and SBOE Rule 160-5-1-.33, the Lanier County School District is seeking flexibility for all its schools from the following state statutes and associated rules in exchange for greater accountability (as outlined in the SWSS/IE2 Partnership Contract) over the life of a five-year contract which allows for six years of flexibility between the Lanier County School District Board of Education and the Georgia State Board of Education, except as prohibited in O.C.G.A. § 20-2-82(e).

➢ EL Program Requirements (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-156)


➢ Education Program for Gifted Students (SBOE Rule 160-4-2-.38)

➢ Organization of Schools; Middle School Programs; Schedule (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-290)

➢ Graduation Requirements for the purpose of substitution of equivalent or higher level requirements which will assist students in acquiring the knowledge and skills necessary to be successful as they continue their education at the postsecondary level and/or enter the workforce (SBOE Rule 160-4-2-.48)

➢ Awarding Units of Credit for the purpose of substitution of equivalent or higher level requirements which will assist students in acquiring the knowledge and skills necessary to be successful as they continue their education at the postsecondary level and/or enter the workforce (SBOE Rule 160-5-1-.15)

➢ Promotion and Retention (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-283)

➢ Health and Physical Education Program except as prohibited by O.C.G.A. § 20-2-82(c) (SBOE Rule 160-4-2-.12)

➢ Instructional Extension (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-184.1)

➢ Use of School Counselors (SBOE Rule 160-4-8-.05)

➢ Personnel Required (SBOE Rule 160-5-1-.22)
➢ Employment Conditions of Employment as it relates to Duty Free Lunch (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-218)
➢ Class-size and Reporting Requirements (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-182)
➢ QBE Financing except to the extent it relates to funding (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-161)
➢ Program Enrollment & Appropriation except to the extent it relates to funding (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-160)
➢ School Day and School Year for Students and Employees (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-151, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-160(a), O.C.G.A. § 20-2-165 (except to the extent it relates to funding), O.C.G.A. § 20-2-168(c))
➢ Competencies and Core Curriculum, Online Learning (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-140.1, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-142)
➢ Statewide Passing Score (SBOE Rule 160-4-2-.13, Sections 2(a) and 2(c))
➢ Categorical Allotment requirements, Article 6 of Chapter 2 of Title 20 (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-167, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-183 to 20-2-186)
➢ Direct Classroom Expenditures and Expenditure Controls (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-171)
➢ School Attendance, Compulsory Attendance as it relates to attendance protocol (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-690.2)
➢ School Councils (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-85 and § 20-2-86)