Subject:
LRSD adoption of revisions to Section 7.5 Purchases and Procurement.

Background:
LRSD has undergone a review of its current policies and found that many of them are out of date and needs to be updated. Upon research and review, LRSD decided to adopt the ASBA Model Policies adapted specifically for LRSD. Section 7.5 was previously approved for adoption.

Rationale:
Section 7.5 was reviewed by the LRSD Procurement Department. That department felt like the policy should have less specifics with a reference to the departmental Operations Manual and suggested the attached revision.

Funding:
LRSD does not anticipate that funding will be needed to update and convert policy.

Recommendation:
LRSD recommends that the Commissioner adopt the revised Section 7.5 Purchases and Procurement.