



State of New Jersey

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Adoption Level  
April 1, 2020

### **Resolution to Adopt The New Jersey Perkins V State Plan**

**Whereas**, the Strengthening Career and Technical Education for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Act (Perkins V) requires eligible agencies to adopt a State Plan for Career and Technical Education; and

**Whereas**, the New Jersey Department of Education (Department) submitted a one-year Transition Plan for federal fiscal year 2019, which was the first fiscal year following the enactment of Perkins V; and

**Whereas**, Perkins V also requires the Department to submit by April 15, 2020, a State Plan adopted by the New Jersey State Board of Education in order to receive an estimated at \$25.5 million in federal funding for federal fiscal year 2020; and

**Whereas**, the Department conducted extensive stakeholder engagement and worked with multiple State agencies to develop a State Plan that will lay the foundation for the next generation of career education and talent development at the secondary and postsecondary levels in New Jersey public institutions; and

**Whereas**, the State Plan will govern policy direction, guide new initiatives, and drive investment strategies for both federal programs and State projects, and also will serve as the cornerstone for programmatic investments and capacity-building efforts that will enhance service delivery at State and local levels; now therefore be it

**Resolved**, that the New Jersey State Board of Education hereby adopts the New Jersey State Plan for Career and Technical Education to serve as the blueprint for implementing career and technical education in New Jersey through June 30, 2023.

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