PHONE CONFERENCE OF STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Monday, January 30, 1995

The State Board of Education had a phone conference on January 30, 1995 at 8:30 a.m. The phone conference was held in the Director's Board room.

In attendance at the meeting:

Elaine Scott, Chair, State Board of Education
Richard Smith, Vice-Chair, State Board of Education
Bill Fisher, State Board of Education
Mitch Llewellyn, State Board of Education
Rae Perry, State Board of Education
Reginald Wilson, Executive Assistant to the State board of Education
Charity Smith, Education Lead Planner
Dr. Diana Julian, Deputy Director
Dr. Emma Bass, Policy and Planning
Cynthia Howell, Arkansas Democrat-Gazette

<u>Draft of the Semi-Annual Desegregation Monitoring Report</u>

Ms. Smith reported the monitoring was complete on December 19, 1994. She described in the Executive Summary how they visited 111 schools and 1275 classrooms. There were 104 monitors used from the department. The design of the report was quantitative and qualitative. All types of data was provided to the monitors by the schools about the school.

Mr. Llewellyn moved that the Board accept the report to be filed with the court. Mr. Smith seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Ms. Smith gave special thanks to the support she received from the Southeast Coop, the Department, and the children of Pulaski County.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 8:45 a.m.

Recorded by Reginald Wilson