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Innovative District Summary

District Name: _____

District Superintendent: _____

Local School Board President: _____

District Address: _____

Contact Name: _____

Contact Title: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

District Classification: ☐ Urban ☐ Suburban ☐ Rural

KSHSAA Rating: _____

Number of Schools in District: _____ Elementary _____ Middle/Junior _____ High

_____ Other (please specify) _____

Current District Enrollment: _____

Precent of students that qualify for free or reduced-price meals: _____

_____ Superintendent

_____ Board President

Submission Date: _____

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Innovative District Application

Narrative

The applicant must explain the process as to how the district is being innovative. The narrative must include:

- Description of educational programs;
- Description of parental and community support;
- Specific goals and measurable pupil outcomes to be obtained;
- Explanation of how pupil performance in achieving the specified outcomes will be:
    - Measured
    - Evaluated
    - Reported; and
- Description of what state laws, rules and regulations from which the district is requesting to be exempt.

(Please limit narrative to no more than 10 pages.)

Applications are due May 1, 2027 to:

Dr. Frank Harwood, Deputy Commissioner at

frank.harwood@ksde.gov

Or

Attn: Dr. Frank Harwood

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