Request for authorization to <u>consolidate</u> the School of Arts and Humanities with the School of Mathematics, Science and Technology into the School of Arts and Sciences and to authorize a <u>change in name</u> of the School of Education to the School of Education and Psychology at Elizabeth City State University

Due to a sustained three-year decline in enrollment and the adverse impact on state appropriations and tuition revenue, Elizabeth City State University has pursued significant revisions to the organizational structure within the Division of Academic Affairs. Consequently, they are requesting authorization for two academic restructuring actions. First, the campus seeks authorization to consolidate the School of Arts and Humanities with the School of Mathematics, Science and Technology into the School of Arts and Sciences. Second, the campus requests authorization to change the name of the School of Education to the School of Education and Psychology. These actions are necessary academic components of their comprehensive work to restore financial stability.

**Recommendation:** It is recommended that the Board of Governors approve Elizabeth City State University's request to consolidate the School of Arts and Humanities with the School of Mathematics, Science and Technology into the School of Arts and Sciences and to approve a change in name of the School of Education to the School of Education and Psychology.