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Dear Christian, Lisa and Dana:

Look at the bomb shell I got late on Friday but just opened a few minutes ago!

I don't think that under current law an EOC member can serve on the panel that awards the RFP when the EOC has to approve the assessment. I've never heard of a State Board member serving as well. It would be a major conflict of interest for the EOC member. I never got one phone call or communication that this was coming.

What are your thoughts? Lisa and Christian, you know the procurement code much better than I do, what are your concerns? I know the General Assembly is considering alternative ways at addressing the procurement issue. In fact, it is my understanding that they will take up something on Thursday with S.1145.

Thanks for any help!  
Melanie

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