



## Memorandum

**Date:** January 11, 2021

**To:** Jim Davnie, Chair, House Education Finance  
Ron Kresha, Ranking Minority Lead, House Education Finance  
Ruth Richardson, Chair, House Education Policy Committee  
Sondra Erickson, Ranking Minority Lead, House Education Policy Committee  
Roger Chamberlin, Chair, Senate Education Finance and Policy  
Charles Wiger, Ranking Minority Lead, Senate Education Finance and Policy

**From:** Paula Palmer, Office of Career and College Success Director

### **RE: Career and Technical Education Innovation Zone Reporting under MS 124D.4535, Subdivision 1**

2017 MN Laws 1<sup>st</sup> Special Session Chapter 5, article 2, section 35, subdivision 1 (124D.4535) requires participating districts to submit a biennial report by February 1 in each odd-numbered year to the education committees of the legislature and the commissioner of education that includes performance assessment, high school graduation, and career and technical certification data to show the success of the partnership in preparing diverse populations of students for careers and jobs.

This memorandum is to notify you that no school districts or partnerships submitted applications to participate in Innovation Zones under this legislation. Questions concerning this legislation may be directed to Paula Palmer, Office of Career and College Success Director, at 651-582-8737 or [paula.palmer@state.mn.us](mailto:paula.palmer@state.mn.us) or Michelle Kamenov, Career Development and Career Technical Education Supervisor, at 651-582-8434 or [michelle.kamenov@state.mn.us](mailto:michelle.kamenov@state.mn.us).

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