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**STATE AUDITOR'S OFFICE: OVERVIEW OF TWO PERFORMANCE
AUDITS**

In 2015, the State Auditor's Office (SAO) undertook a performance audit of the state's workforce development system. Entitled, "Workforce Development System: Identifying Overlap, Duplication and Fragmentation," the final report describes the complex, multi-layered system of 55 programs that help individuals of all types find employment. Presenters will provide an overview of the report, including positive findings and identified areas of potential risk.

The SAO has determined the need to explore aspects of the workforce development system more deeply. They are beginning the second tier of performance audits with secondary Career and Technical Education (CTE). This audit began in late December 2015. Presenters will provide information on the plan and questions for the CTE performance audit.

Board Action: Discussion only.