

Information Technology Authorization Committee

Project Review

May 27, 2015

Action Item

Agency: Arizona Department of Education (ADE)
Project Name: AELAS Arizona Education Data Standard (AzEDS)
Project Number: ED15004
ASET Oversight Manager: Eddy Cheng

ADE is being required to close out the ALEAS Standardized Data Store (SDS) (ED14004) project based upon the approved ITAC condition on December 10, 2014 if funding was required beyond FY 2015. The new AELAS Arizona Education Data Standard (AzEDS) project is the continuation of ADE efforts to continue to fully operationalize the Student Transaction Operational Data Store (ODS) for state reporting. ADE is proposing to create a hybrid solution to receive LEA Student Information System (SIS) information from both the legacy (SAIS) and new AzEDS transaction processing system. This hybrid solution is a temporary fix until all LEA SIS Vendors can meet certification. ADE is now looking to complete the certification of LEA SIS vendors, retire SAIS, and complete the transition to the ED-FI model in FY2016 and FY2017.

Motion Options:

ITAC Approval:

ITAC Conditional Approval:

The Arizona Strategic Enterprise Technology Office recommends ITAC approval of the technology project with the following Conditions:

1. ADE shall provide an informational update to ITAC on a quarterly basis, or as otherwise requested, to include the required third party review report currently provided to ADOA-ASET and JLBC. Should the quarterly update indicate that this project or other associated projects are at risk of failing to achieve intended results, ADOA-ASET may recommend that future funding be temporarily suspended pending the successful implementation of the risk mitigation plan. ADE will include ADOA-ASET in all meetings with the 3rd party review consultants until the risk mitigation plan is fully implemented.
2. ADE shall identify a funding source for the development costs associated with the project beyond the current FY2016 APF allocation.

ITAC Disapproval:

