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Ohio Chamber Statement on Announcement of Department of Education and Workforce Director

COLUMBUS, OHIO – The below can be attributed to Ohio Chamber President and CEO Steve Stivers regarding today’s announcement of Steve Dackin as the director of the Ohio Department of Education and Workforce.

“The Ohio Chamber of Commerce congratulates the DeWine/Husted administration on the announcement of Director-designate Steve Dackin to lead the Ohio Department of Education and Workforce.

“The Chamber has long considered it a priority to better coordinate the education system with the talent development needs of the state. Whether Ohio’s students are bound for a four-year college or jumpstarting a successful career in skilled trades, greater alignment with our state’s workforce demands will pay dividends for future generations of Ohioans.

“We wish Director Dackin success in his efforts to lead this new department and look forward to working with him and the administration on these critical issues.”

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