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Nevada Department of Education

**REGULATION MEETING**

October 9, 2015 – 9:00 A.M.

**Meeting Locations:** Las Vegas, NV  
Department of Education  
9890 South Maryland Pkwy

*and*

Carson City, NV (via Video Conference)  
Department of Education  
700 East Fifth Street

PUBLIC NOTICE

*A time for public comment is provided at the beginning and at the conclusion of the meeting. A time limit of three minutes will be imposed for public comments, in order to afford all members of the public who wish to comment, with an opportunity to do so within the timeframe available. Individuals providing testimony must fill out a visitor card. Items may be taken out of posted order, except the workshops will not begin earlier than posted times.*

*Reasonable efforts will be made for members of the public who have disabilities and require special accommodations or assistance at the meeting. Please call the Board assistant at (775) 687-9225, at least five business days in advance so that arrangements can be made.*

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— AGENDA —

The purpose of this workshop is to solicit comments from interested persons on the following general topics that maybe addressed in the proposed regulations. The workshops will be conducted in accordance with the Open Meeting Law (NRS 241.020)

**NOTE:** Comments by the general public will be taken following a description of the proposed regulation changes. Public comment may be limited to 3 minutes per person at the discretion of the staff member conducting the workshop.

**NOTE:** Members of the State Board of Education/State Board for Career and Technical Education will not participate in this meeting; the Interim Superintendent of Public Instruction, as Secretary of the Board, will be holding the workshops.

**1. Call to Order;**

Steve Canavero, Interim, Superintendent of Public Instruction

**2. Public Comment #1**

*Public Comment will be taken during this agenda item. No Action may be taken on a matter raised under this item until the matter is included on an agenda as an item on which For Possible Action may be taken. There may be a reasonable limitation as to the amount of time as individual may address Public Comment (three minutes).*

**3. 9:00 a.m. Public Hearing and Possible Adoption Proposed Amendments to R35-15, NAC Chapter 385 to provide for the contents and procedures for applications for grants provided pursuant to the Nevada Educational Choice Scholarship Program (Statutes of Nevada 2015, Chapter 22) and other matters necessary to carry out the provisions of the program.**

*(Information/Discussion/For Possible Approval)* Steve Canavero, Interim Superintendent of Public Instruction

4. **9:05 A.M. Workshop to Solicit Comments on Proposed Amendments to NAC Chapter 391**, to provide a definition of "moral turpitude" for the purpose of implementing NRS 391.033 (Issuance of licenses; fingerprinting of applicants; provisional licensure authorized), NRS 391.100 (Employment of personnel by trustees; certain teachers and paraprofessionals required to possess qualifications prescribed by federal law; school district prohibited from requiring licensed employees on approved leave to submit fingerprints as condition of return to employment; exception; school police officers; contract for police services), NRS 391.31297 (Grounds for suspension, demotion, dismissal and refusal to reemploy teachers and administrators; consideration evaluations and standards of performance), NRS 391.314 (Suspension of licensed employee; dismissal proceedings; reinstatement; salary during suspension or dismissal proceedings; forfeiture of right of employment for certain offenses; period of suspension), NRS 391.330 (Grounds for suspension or revocation of license), NRS 392A.080 (Composition of governing body; appointment; terms; powers; quarterly meetings), and NRS 392A.107 (Fingerprinting of nonlicensed applicants or employment; review of criminal history by Superintendent of Public Instruction under certain circumstances; prohibition on employment of certain applicants).

*(Information/Discussion/For Possible Approval)* Dena Durish, Deputy Superintendent, Educator Effectiveness and Family Engagement

5. **9:10 A.M. Workshop to Solicit Comments on new Proposed Amendments to NAC 391 related to the criteria to define teacher and school level administrator effectiveness ratings**, data collection of annual performance ratings, and Proposed Amendments to NAC 391.571 Performance evaluation of school-level and probationary administrators: Required domains; NAC 391.572 Performance evaluation of school-level administrator in domain of instructional leadership practices; NAC 391.573 Performance evaluation of school-level administrator in domain of professional responsibilities; NAC 391.574 Performance evaluation of teacher: Required domains; NAC 391.575 Performance evaluation of teacher in domain of instructional practices, and 391.579 Evaluation tools for conducting performance evaluations; application for flexibility to use different evaluation tools.

*(Information/Discussion/For Possible Approval)* Dena Durish, Deputy Superintendent, Educator Effectiveness and Family Engagement

**6. Public Comment #2**

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**7. Adjournment**