

**NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**  
**COMMISSION ON PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS IN EDUCATION**  
**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 2019 – 9:00 AM**

**Meeting Locations:**

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Office	Address	City	Meeting Room
Department of Education	9890 S. Maryland Pkwy	Las Vegas	Board Room (2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor)
Department of Education	700 E. Fifth St	Carson City	Board Room

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**AGENDA**

**1. Call to Order; Roll Call; Pledge of Allegiance**

Ramona Esparza, President

**2. Public Comment #1**

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**3. Approval of Flexible Agenda**

*(Information/Discussion/For Possible Action)* Ramona Esparza, President

**4. Approval of January 16, 2019 Minutes**

*(Information/Discussion/For Possible Action)* Ramona Esparza, President

**5. Nevada Department of Education Updates**

*(Information/Discussion/For Possible Action)* Jason Dietrich, NDE Interim Deputy Superintendent

**9:00 a.m.**

**6. Public Hearing and Possible adoption of Proposed Amendments to R110-18: NAC 391.065 and repeal of NAC 391.075; Regulations revising the educational requirements for renewing the licenses of teachers and other educational personnel.**

*(Informational/Discussion/For Possible Action)* Jason Dietrich, NDE Interim Deputy Superintendent

7. **Public Hearing and Possible adoption of Proposed Amendments to R112-18: NAC 391.056; A regulation removing authorization for the Superintendent of Public Instruction to issue a provisional nonrenewable license to certain applicants; revising the length of the period for which a provisional nonrenewable license is valid.**  
*(Informational/Discussion/For Possible Action)* Jason Dietrich, NDE Interim Deputy Superintendent
8. **Public Hearing and Possible adoption of Proposed Amendments to R113-18: NAC 391.040 and NAC 391.391; Regulations relating requiring the review of the transcripts of an applicant for certain endorsements; revising the qualifications to obtain an endorsement to teach pupils in a program of orientation and mobility.**  
*(Informational/Discussion/For Possible Action)* Jason Dietrich, NDE Interim Deputy Superintendent
9. **Public Hearing and Possible adoption of Proposed Amendments to R114-18: NAC 391.010, NAC 391.036, NAC 391.055, NAC 391.087, NAC 391.089, NAC 391.171, and NAC 391.557; Regulations revising requirements for teaching pupils in a program of early childhood education .**  
*(Informational/Discussion/For Possible Action)* Jason Dietrich, NDE Interim Deputy Superintendent
10. **Public Hearing and Possible adoption of Proposed Amendments to R115-18: NAC 391.036 and NAC 391.185; Regulations exempting certain applicants for a special license with an endorsement to serve as a school counselor from the requirement to pass certain competency tests and revising the qualifications for an endorsement to serve as a school counselor.**  
*(Informational/Discussion/For Possible Action)* Jason Dietrich, NDE Interim Deputy Superintendent
11. **Public Hearing and Possible adoption of Proposed Amendments to R116-18: NAC 391.252; A regulation eliminating the requirement that a person must hold a bachelor’s degree to receive an endorsement to teach pupils in the Junior Reserve Officers’ Training Corps Program.**  
*(Informational/Discussion/For Possible Action)* Jason Dietrich, NDE Interim Deputy Superintendent
12. **Public Hearing and Possible adoption of Proposed Amendments to R154-18: NAC 391.XXX; A regulation establishing endorsements as a specialist or professional specialist in social, emotional and academic development.**  
*(Informational/Discussion/For Possible Action)* Jason Dietrich, NDE Interim Deputy Superintendent
13. **Public Hearing and Possible adoption of Proposed Amendments to.**  
*(Informational/Discussion/For Possible Action)* Jason Dietrich, NDE Interim Deputy Superintendent
14. **Future Agenda Items**  
*(Information/Discussion/For Possible Action)* Ramona Esparza, President and Michael Arakawa, NDE Licensure Program Officer III
15. **Commissioners’ Comments**
16. **Public Comment #2**  
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17. **Adjournment**