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Notice of Workshop to Solicit Comments on Proposed Regulation

The Nevada Department of Education is proposing temporary regulation language pertaining to the Nevada Administrative Code (NAC). The Workshop has been scheduled for **Wednesday**, **September 21**, 2022 at the following locations: **Nevada Department of Education Offices**, 700 East Fifth Street, **Board Room**, **Carson City and 2080 East Flamingo Road**, **Room 114**, **Las Vegas**, **Nevada**. The purpose of the Workshop is to solicit comments from interested persons on the following general topics to be addressed in a proposed regulation:

9:25 A.M. Workshop to Solicit Comments on Proposed Temporary Amendments to NAC Chapter 391.056 – Provisional nonrenewable licensure: Qualifications; term of validity; addition of endorsements.

A copy of all materials relating to the proposal may be obtained at the workshop, on the Nevada Department of Education Regulation Workshops and Public hearings Meeting Materials page, by contacting Rick Derry, Nevada Department of Education, via email at COPS@doe.nv.gov, by telephone at (702) 668-4308 or in person at the Nevada Department of Education, 2080 E. Flamingo Rd. Las Vegas, Nevada. Persons wishing to comment upon the proposed action of the Commission on Professional Standards may provide in-person testimony, submit written comment to the Department via email at COPS@doe.nv.gov, or submit their comments, data, views, or arguments in written form to the Nevada Department of Education, 2080 E. Flamingo Rd. Suite 210, Las Vegas, Nevada 89119. Comments may be submitted via email leading up to and for the duration of the workshop, and those submitted via mail must be received by the Department on or before Tuesday, September 20, 2022.

This notice has been sent to all persons on the agencies mailing list for administrative regulations and posted on the Nevada Department of Education's website at https://doe.nv.gov, Nevada's Public Notice site at https://hotice.nv.gov, the Nevada State Legislature's webpage at https://leg.state.nv.us, and physically at the Nevada Department of Education Offices and with Nevada State Library and Archives. Copies of this notice will also be emailed and/or mailed to members of the public upon request.

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SMALL BUSINESS IMPACT STATEMENT PURSUANT TO NRS 233B.0608

DATE: August 29, 2022

RE: Workshop to Solicit Comments on Proposed Temporary Amendments to NAC

Chapter 391.056 – Provisional nonrenewable licensure: Qualifications; term of

validity; addition of endorsements.

I, Jhone M. Ebert, being the duly appointed Superintendent of Public Instruction of the Nevada Department of Education, do hereby certify, to the best of my knowledge or belief:

- 1. The proposed regulation regarding provisional nonrenewable licensure is not likely to (a) impose a direct or significant economic burden upon a small business, or (b) directly restrict the formation, operation or expansion of a small business.
- 2. A concerted effort was made to determine any economic burden.
- 3. All relevant materials were reviewed, and the Department considered its history with implementing similar regulations; the proposed changes are within the scope of the Department's activities and present no significant cost of enforcement.
- 4. Comment has not been solicited from small businesses, and no summary of their response is provided, because small businesses are not impacted by this regulation and thus no burden or adverse economic impact can be assessed.

I hereby further certify that, to the best of my knowledge or belief, a concerted effort was made to determine the impact of the regulation on small businesses and that the information contained in this statement was prepared properly and is accurate.

Respectfully submitted,

Jhone M. Ebert

Superintendent of Public Instruction

NAC 391.056 Provisional nonrenewable licensure: Qualifications; term of validity; addition of endorsements. (NRS 391.019, 391.021, 391.032)

- 1. The Superintendent of Public Instruction may issue a provisional nonrenewable license to an applicant applying for a license pursuant to <u>NAC 391.045</u>. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 2, a provisional nonrenewable license is valid for:
- (a) One year Three years, if the applicant otherwise meets the requirements for a license pursuant to NAC 391.045, but:
- (1) Except as otherwise provided in paragraph (c), has a deficiency in credits of 6 semester hours or less for all areas of licensure or endorsement, unless the provision is for an endorsement as a substitute teacher; or
- (2) If the applicant is applying for a school counseling endorsement pursuant to <u>NAC 391.185</u>, lacks confirmation from a college that the applicant has completed a school counseling practicum or internship, but:
- (I) Has completed all necessary course-work requirements for the school counseling endorsement;
- (II) Has completed 200 hours of the practicum or internship through a regionally accredited college or university, including, without limitation, a minimum of 100 hours in a school setting at the time of his or her application for licensure; and
- (III) Is currently and continuously enrolled in a regionally accredited college or university school counseling practicum or internship program;
- (b) Two Three years, if the applicant has not passed the tests required by NAC 391.036 and is not exempt from taking such tests; or
- (c) Three years, if the applicant has not completed the course required by paragraph (b) of subsection 1 of NAC 391.045.
- 2. If each provision is removed on or before the date on which a license issued pursuant to this section is set to expire pursuant to subsection 1, the license expires 3 years after the date on which the license was issued.
- 3. The holder of a license issued pursuant to this section may add endorsements with provisions to the license during the first year in which the license is valid. Endorsements without provisions may be added to the license at any time during the period in which the license is valid. If an endorsement is added to the license, the endorsement does not affect the date on which the license becomes invalid.