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**Notice of Workshop to Solicit Comments on Proposed Regulation**

The Commission on Professional Standards in Education is proposing regulation language pertaining to the Nevada Administrative Code (NAC). The Workshop has been scheduled for **Wednesday, October 16, 2024**, via [Livestream Link](#) and 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:

**9:02 A.M. Workshop to Solicit Comments on Proposed Amendments to NAC Chapter 391.420 – Business and industry endorsement: Program areas for which endorsement may be issued.**

A copy of all materials relating to the proposal may be obtained at the workshop, on the [Meeting Materials page](#), by contacting the Nevada Department of Education, via email at [geraldine.mendiola@doe.nv.gov](mailto:geraldine.mendiola@doe.nv.gov), by telephone at 702-668-4317, or in person at the **Nevada Department of Education Offices, 700 East Fifth Street, Board Room, Carson City and 2080 East Flamingo Road, Room 114, Las Vegas, Nevada**. Persons wishing to comment upon the proposed action of the Department of Education may provide in-person testimony, submit written comment to the Department via email at [COPS@doe.nv.gov](mailto:COPS@doe.nv.gov) or submit their comments, data, views, or arguments in written form to the **Nevada Department of Education Offices, 700 East Fifth Street, Board Room, Carson City and 2080 East Flamingo Road, Room 114, Las Vegas, Nevada**. 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 **Friday, October 11, 2024**.

This notice has been sent to all persons on the agencies mailing list for administrative regulations and the Department of Education and posted on the Nevada Department of Education's website at <https://doe.nv.gov>, Nevada's Public Notice site at <https://notice.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:** October 1, 2024

**RE:** Workshop to Solicit Comments on Proposed Amendments to NAC 391.420 – Business and Industry Ethnic Music and Dance teaching 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 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. Comments have 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

*The intent of this regulation is to delineate specific areas for Ethic music and Ethnic dance endorsements based on current and pilot programs in Nevada schools.*

**NAC 391.420 Business and industry endorsement: Program areas for which endorsement may be issued.** ([NRS 388.360](#), [391.019](#)) The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall issue to a qualified applicant a business and industry endorsement for a specific program area [that is approved by the Department](#) in:

1. Any program of career and technical education set forth in [NAC 389.803](#).
2. Any of the following performing arts:
  - (a) Ethnic music;
    - (i) Mariachi
    - (ii) Polynesian
    - (iii) Native American
    - (iv) Folk
    - (v) World Music
  - (b) Ethnic dance;
    - (i) Mariachi
    - (ii) Polynesian
    - (iii) Native American
    - (iv) Folkloric; or
  - (c) Dance performance.
3. Military science.

(Added to NAC by Bd. for Vocational Education, eff. 10-26-83; A by Comm'n on Prof. Standards in Education, 9-1-89; R075-00, 6-20-2000; R023-01, 10-22-2001; R026-07, 10-31-2007; R006-13, 10-23-2013; R033-15, 4-4-2016)