

# AGENDA

## COMMISSION ON PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS IN EDUCATION

December 8, 2011

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### VIDEO CONFERENCE MEETING

Date: December 8, 2011  
Time: 9:00 A.M.

Video/Meeting Sites: Nevada Department of Education  
Board Conference Rooms  
700 East Fifth Street, Carson City, NV  
AND  
9890 So Maryland Pkwy, Las Vegas, NV

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| 1. | Call to Order; Roll Call; and Pledge of Allegiance | Nancy Sileo<br>Vice President | Action |
| 2. | Approval of Agenda                                 | Nancy Sileo<br>Vice President | Action |
| 3. | Approval of Minutes<br>a) October 5, 2011 Meeting  | Nancy Sileo<br>Vice President | Action |
| 4. | Public Comments                                    |                               |        |

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| 5. | Discussion of Open Meeting Law<br>Compliance Issues   | Dr. James E. Irvin<br>Deputy Attorney General      | Information/<br>Discussion            |
| 6. | Fiscal Report -<br>Review of Current Budget Account Balance   | Dr. Jerry Barbee<br>Director of Teacher Licensure  | Information/<br>Action                |
| 7. | Update of Nevada Department of Education<br>Activities  | Rorie Fitzpatrick<br>Interim Deputy Superintendent | Information/<br>Discussion            |
| 8. | Update and Submission of Report and<br>Recommendations from Appointed Task<br>Forces <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>o Parental Involvement Task Force</li><li>o Alternative Route to Licensure Task Force</li><li>o Standing Task Force on Review of Regulations</li></ul> | Nancy Sileo<br>Vice President                      | Information/<br>Discussion/<br>Action |

**WORKSHOPS**

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| 9.  | 9:30 A.M. | Workshop to Solicit Comments for Amendments to NAC 391<br>For Parental Involvement Regulations  | Discussion/<br>Action |
| 10. | 9:35 A.M. | Workshop to Solicit Comments for NAC 391.057 - Conditional<br>Licensure: Categories, Qualifications; Validity; Permission by the<br>Department for School District, Charter School, or Private School to<br>Hire Licensee; Requirements of Licensee following Issuance; NAC<br>391.058 – Conditional Licensure: Application to Department for<br>Permission of School District, Charter School or Private School to Hire<br>Licensee; Duties of Employing School District, Charter School or Private<br>School; Requirements of Licensee Following Issuance; Cooperation with<br>Commission and Department; NAC 391.042 – Initial License Requiring<br>Student Teaching Experience; Conditions for Substitution of Teaching<br>Experience; NAC 391.171- Conditional Endorsement as Professional<br>Administrator of School; Authorized Employment; Validity; NAC 391.470 –<br>Qualifications for Issuance of Renewable Teaching License to Persons<br>Who Complete Nontraditional Training Program; and Delete<br>NAC 391.172-Employment of Person Who Hold Conditional Endorsement<br>as Professional Administrator of a School; Approval by Department<br>Required; Duties of Employing School District, Charter School or Private<br>School; Requirements of Licensee Following Employment; NAC 391.173 –<br>Qualifications for Issuance of Unconditional Endorsement as<br>Professional Administrator of School to Person Who Holds Conditional<br>Endorsement; and NAC 391.475 – Qualifications for Issuance of<br>Conditional Special Qualifications License to Persons Who Complete<br>Nontraditional Training Program; Validity; Duties of Employing School<br>District, Charter School or Private School; Application for Renewable<br>Special Qualifications License; Circumstances Under Which License<br>Deemed Immediately Revoked | Discussion/<br>Action |

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| 11. | 9:40 A.M.   | Workshop to Solicit Comments for Amendments to NAC 391.131- Single-subject majors and minors; NAC 391.1312 – Restrictions On Hours of Credit for Certain Subjects to add Turkish | Discussion/<br>Action |
| 12. | 9:45 A.M.   | Workshop to Solicit Comments for Amendments to NAC 391.070- Renewal of Licenses: General Requirements; Delay of Expiration Date by Superintendent of Public Instruction          | Discussion/<br>Action |
| 13. | Review of Fingerprinting Renewal Procedure  | Dr. Jerry Barbee<br>Director<br>Teacher Licensure  | Information           |
| 14. | Discussion and Possible Approval of Commission Work Plan, Goals and Objectives; And Letter to Legislature and Nevada State Board of Education | Nancy Sileo<br>Vice President  | Discussion/<br>Action |
| 15. | Future Agenda Items   | Nancy Sileo<br>Vice President  | Discussion/<br>Action |
| 16. | Public Comments   |  |                       |

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17. Adjournment of Commission Meeting