

NEW MEXICO PUBLIC EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING

The Public Education Department (“Department”) hereby gives notice that the Department will conduct a public hearing at Mabry Hall, Jerry Apodaca Education Building, 300 Don Gaspar, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501-2786, on Wednesday, June 17, 2009, from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. The purpose of the public hearing will be to obtain input on the following rules.

Rule Number	Rule Name	Proposed Action
6.2.2 NMAC	OPERATIONAL BYLAWS OF THE EDUCATIONAL STANDARDS COMMISSION	Repeal rule
6.2.5 NMAC	OPERATIONAL BYLAWS OF THE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIAL COMMISSION	Repeal rule
6.2.6 NMAC	OPERATIONAL BYLAWS OF THE NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS COMMISSION	Repeal rule
6.10.2 NMAC	UNITED STATES FLAG AND THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE	Amend rule
6.10.4 NMAC	DISENROLLMENT WHEN A STUDENT IS NOT LEGALLY ENROLLED IN SCHOOL	Amend rule
6.10.5 NMAC	VARIABLE SCHOOL CALENDAR APPLICATION REVIEW AND REPORTING PROCESS	Amend rule
6.10.6 NMAC	PROHIBITION ON THE SALE OR USE OF LISTS IN DIRECT MARKETING; DEFINITION OF “LEGITIMATE EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES”	Amend rule
6.10.7 NMAC	STATEWIDE STANDARDIZED TESTING SECURITY ISSUES AND IRREGULARITIES	Amend rule
6.11.2 NMAC	RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS	Amend rule
6.12.4 NMAC	TOBACCO FREE SCHOOL DISTRICTS	Amend rule
6.13.2 NMAC	INTERSCHOLASTIC ACTIVITIES PROMULGATED BY THE NEW MEXICO ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION	Amend rule
6.13.3 NMAC	INTERSCHOLASTIC STUDENT ACTIVITIES	Repeal rule
6.13.4 NMAC	GOVERNING PARTICIPATION IN INTERSCHOLASTIC SPORTS	Amend rule
6.19.2 NMAC	PUBLIC SCHOOL ACCOUNTABILITY SYSTEM FOR SCHOOLS RATED PROBATIONARY	Repeal rule
6.20.4 NMAC	DEFINITIONS OF FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME SCHOOL INSTRUCTORS	Amend rule
6.20.5 NMAC	PROCEDURES FOR PROVIDING PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS WITH FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE REGARDING GENERAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS	Amend rule
6.21.2 NMAC	AUDIT RESOLUTION PROCESS, APPLICATION HEARING PROCESS, ENFORCEMENT PROCESS	Amend rule
6.23.2 NMAC	REGIONAL CENTER COOPERATIVES	Repeal rule
6.23.3 NMAC	REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVES	Amend rule
6.30.3 NMAC	ELIGIBILITY FOR THE GENERAL EDUCATIONAL	Amend rule

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	DEVELOPMENT TESTS (GED TESTS) AND DIPLOMA IN NM	
6.30.4 NMAC	PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS TO TEACH DRIVER'S SAFETY FOR ELECTIVE GRADUATION CREDIT	Amend rule
6.30.5 NMAC	OPTIONAL FULL-DAY KINDERGARTEN LITERACY READINESS PROGRAM	Amend rule
6.41.2 NMAC	SCHOOL BUS INSPECTIONS	Amend rule
6.41.3 NMAC	STANDARDS FOR DETERMINING HAZARDOUS WALKING CONDITIONS	Amend rule
6.42.2 NMAC	TEMPORARY BOUNDARY AGREEMENTS	Amend rule
6.43.2 NMAC	REQUIREMENTS FOR SCHOOL BUS CONTRACTS AND PER CAPITA FEEDER AGREEMENTS	Amend rule
6.43.3 NMAC	PUBLIC SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION OPERATIONAL FUNDING REPORTING REQUIREMENTS	Amend rule
6.43.4 NMAC	REQUIREMENTS FOR SCHOOL BUS SERVICE NEGOTIATIONS WITH CHARTER SCHOOLS	Amend rule
6.81.2 NMAC	REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AND FOR STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION ACCREDITATION	Amend and rename rule

Interested individuals may testify either at the public hearing or submit written comments to Mary H. Deets, Administrative Assistant, Office of General Counsel, Public Education Department, Jerry Apodaca Education Building, 300 Don Gaspar, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501-2786 (MaryH.Deets@state.nm.us) (505) 827-6641 fax (505) 827-6681. Written comments must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. on the date of the hearing. However, the submission of written comments as soon as possible is encouraged.

Copies of the proposed rules may be accessed on the Department's website (<http://ped.state.nm.us/>) or obtained from Mary H Deets, Administrative Assistant, Office of General Counsel, Public Education Department, Jerry Apodaca Education Building, 300 Don Gaspar, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501-2786 (MaryH.Deets@state.nm.us) (505) 827-6641 fax (505) 827-6681.

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