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Advisory: Notice of Substantial Change, N.J.A.C. 6A:8, Standards and Assessment

At its Oct. 21, 2019, public meeting, the State Board of Education approved the following for publication in the Dec. 2, 2019, New Jersey Register:

• Notice of substantial changes upon adoption to proposed amendments regarding *N.J.A.C.* 6A:8, Standards and Assessment, related to State assessment requirements for high school.

The notice of substantial changes upon adoption can be viewed in the Administrative Code and Statute section of the Department of Education's <u>website</u>.

Public testimony on the notice will be held on Wednesday, Jan. 8, 2020.

Members of the public may also send in written comments concerning the notice by Jan. 31, 2020, via the Department's <u>website</u> or via the mailing or email addresses contained in the notice.

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