

New Jersey State Board of Education

Wednesday, March 2, 2022

Agenda

9:00 a.m. Meeting convenes via teleconference and adjourns immediately to Executive Session to discuss personnel and legal issues.

10:00 a.m. Meeting reconvenes to consider the agenda.

Pledge of Allegiance

Approval of Minutes of The Meeting Conducted on:

- [February 2, 2022](#)

President's Reports

- Report of the New Permanent Student Representative, Maura Baker
- State Board Committee Reports

Commissioner's Reports

- [Resolution in Recognition of Gifted and Talented Students Month in New Jersey](#)
- [Resolution in Recognition of Social and Emotional Learning Day in New Jersey](#)

Items for Consideration

**Items scheduled for a vote are marked with an asterisk.*

- *A. [Appointment\(s\)](#)
(Office of the Commissioner)

Commissioner's Recommendation:

That the State Board approve the appointment(s) pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:2.

- *B. [Certification of School Districts](#)
(Division of Field Support and Services)

Commissioner's Recommendation:

That the State Board certify for a period of three years, those school districts recommended by the Commissioner, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:7A-14a and b.

*C. [Education for Homeless Children and Students in State Facilities](#) [Presentation](#)
(Division of Educational Services)

Adoption

Commissioner's Recommendation:

That the State Board adopt the readoption with amendments pertaining to the rules at N.J.A.C. 6A:17, Education for Homeless Children and Students in State Facilities, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:7B-1 et seq., 18A:7F-43 et seq., and 18A:38-1.d and 19, and the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, as amended by the Every Student Succeeds Act of 2015 (P.L. 115-141).

*D. [Religious Holidays Calendar Resolution](#)
(Division of Field Support and Services)

Adoption Resolution

Commissioner's Recommendation:

That the State Board adopt the revised resolution pertaining to the annual calendar of religious holidays for the 2021-2022 school year as established at N.J.A.C. 6A:32-8.3(j), pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:36-14 to 16.

E. [Religious Holidays Calendar Resolution](#)
(Division of Field Support and Services)

Discussion Resolution

Commissioner's Recommendation:

That the State Board discuss the resolution pertaining to the annual calendar of religious holidays for the 2022-2023 school year as established at N.J.A.C. 6A:32-8.3(j), pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:36-14 to 16.

F. [Standards and Assessments](#) [Presentation](#)
(Division of Teaching and Learning Services)

Second Discussion

Commissioner's Recommendation:

That the State Board discuss the amendments to N.J.A.C. 6A:8, Standards and Assessment, that set forth the requirements for the Bridge Year Pilot Program, pursuant to P.L. 2020, c. 41.

G. [School Ethics Commission](#) [Presentation](#)
(Division of Legal and External Services)

First Discussion

Commissioner's Recommendation:

That the State Board discuss the readoption with amendments pertaining to N.J.A.C. 6A:28, School Ethics Commission, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:4-15 and 18A:12-21 et seq.

New Business

Adjournment

Public Testimony—Accepting Written Testimony Only

- School District Operations (proposal level notice of substantial change)
- Standards and Assessments (Bridge Year amendments)

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