

Item 22:

Update of State Board for Educator Certification Enabling Legislation from the 87th Texas Legislature

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SUMMARY: This item provides an update to the State Board for Educator Certification (SBEC) regarding all SBEC-related legislation as a result of the 87th Texas Legislative Session. The 87th Texas Legislature passed several SBEC-related pieces of enabling legislation, the summary of each piece of enabling legislation, the Administrative Code (TAC) rule, along with the current rule. The SBEC will provide regular updates on all SBEC-related legislation and additions that result from a Special Session.

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Attachment :
SBEC-Related Legislation from the 87th Session

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SBEC Rulemaking Legislative Implementation Plan on 87th Legislative Session

Enabling Legislation	Subject and Purpose	Rule Chapter(s)	Owner (Support)	Timeline	Status
HB 139	Military Veterans and Spouse Certification: x Requirements for military veterans and spouses regarding training, education, and experience to count towards certification requirements.	228	Jessica	x October 2021 Discussion x December 2021 Proposal x February 2022 Adoption SBOE: April 2022 Effective May 2022	
	x Testing exemptions for military service members, military spouses, and military spouses.	230	Marilyn	x July 2021 Discussion x October 2021 Proposal x December 2021 Adoption SBOE: January 2022 Effective March 2022	
	x Requirements for military veterans and spouses regarding expediting applications and alternative methods for certification requirements.	234	Marilyn	SBOE: January 2022 Effective March 2022	
HB 159	Special Education Training Requirements: x Requirements foeducator preparation programs (EPP)to provide information regarding high expectations for all students, including students with disabilities.	227	Jessica	x Dec 2021 Discussion x February 2022 Proposal x April 2022 Adoption SBOE: June 2022 Effective July 2022	

HB 2256	Bilingual Special Education Certificate: x Related to the training requirements to obtain a Bilingual Special Education Certificate. x Requirements for EPPs regarding Bilingual Special Education standards for program approval and renewal	228	Jessica	x October 2023 Discussion x December 2023 Proposal x February 2024 Adoption SBOE: April 2024 Effective May 2024
	x Related to the creation of, and examination requirements for a Bilingual Special Education Certificate.	230	Jessica Marilyn	x October 2023 Discussion x December 2023 Proposal x February 2024 Adoption SBOE April 2024 x Effective May 2024
	x Requirements for personnel assignments for individuals with a Bilingual Special Education Certificate.	231	Marilyn	x October 2023 Discussion x December 2023 Proposal x February 2024 Adoption SBOE: April 2024 Effective May 2024
	x Related to the establishment of a Bilingual Special Education Certificate category	233	Marilyn	x October 2022 Discussion x December 2022 Proposal x February 2023 Adoption SBOE: April 2023 Effective May 2023
	x Related to the creation of Bilingual Special Education standards	235	Jessica	x October 2022 Discussion x December 2022 Proposal x February 2023 Adoption SBOE: April 2023 Effective May 2023

	requirements for educators and all school personnel with recommended frequency x Relating to the removal of the requirement that instruction regarding grief and trauma be approved by the commissioner				
SB 1590	Virtual Observations: Relating to the virtual observation options that allow for two formal observations to be completed virtually that are equivalent in rigor to in-person.	228	Jessica	x July 2021 Discussion x October 2021 Proposal x December 2021 Adoption SBOE: January 2022 Effective February 2022	

Discussion	Proposal	Adoption	SBOE or Implemented
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