

Item 16:
Update and Report of State Board for Educator Certification
Enabling Legislation from the 88th Texas Legislature

DISCUSSION ONLY

SUMMARY: This item provides an update and report to the State Board for Educator Certification (SBEC) regarding all SBEC-related legislation as a result of the 88th Texas Legislative Session.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION AND SIGNIFICANT ISSUES: The 88th Regular Texas Legislature passed several SBEC-related pieces of legislation. The Attachment includes a summary of each piece of enabling legislation, the subject and purpose, the existing Texas Administrative Code (TAC) rule, along with the current status/plan for implementation. TEA staff will provide regular updates on all SBEC-related legislation at upcoming meetings.

Staff Members Responsible:

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Attachment:

SBEC-Related Legislation from the 88th Session Implementation Plan

SB 544					
SB 422					
HB 1605					

87th Legislative Session, Regular Session

HB 2256 Bilingual Special Education Certificate: