

**Item 16:**

**2023–2026 Rule Review Plan for State Board for Educator  
Certification Rules**

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1. a Notice of Proposed Review (Intention to Review) requesting comments on whether reasons for adopting or readopting the rules continue to exist is published in the *Texas Register*; and
2. a Notice of Adopted Review (Readoption) summarizing the public comments received in response to the notice of proposed review and providing a response to each comment and an assessment of whether the reasons for initially adopting the rules continue to exist is published in the *Texas Register*.

**OTHER COMMENTS AND RELATED ISSUES:** As with proposed rule actions, the public comment period for a proposed review would last 30 days and include registered oral and written comments on the proposed review provided at an SBEC meeting.

**Staff Members Responsible:**

Kameryn McCain, Director, Educator Preparation, Certification and Enforcement  
Cristina De La Fuente-Valadez, Director, Rulemaking

**Attachment:**

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**ATTACHMENT**

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*Texas Government Code, §2001.039, established a four-year rule review cycle for all state  
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Review Period: 2025			
Chapter Title	Subchapter Title	Topic	Begin Review
<b>Chapter 227. Provisions for Educator Preparation Candidates</b>	<i>Subchapter A. Admission to Educator Preparation Programs</i>	Educator Preparation	April 2025
	<i>Subchapter B. Preliminary Evaluation of Certification Eligibility</i>	Educator Investigations	
<b>Chapter 229. Accountability System for Educator Preparation Programs</b>		Educator Preparation	December 2025
<b>Chapter 247. Educators' Code of Ethics</b>		Educator Investigations	December 2025
<b>Chapter 250. Administration</b>	<i>Subchapter A. Purchasing</i>	Administration	December 2025
	<i>Subchapter B. Rulemaking Procedures</i>		

Review Period: 2026			
Chapter Title	Subchapter Title	Topic	Begin Review
<b>Chapter 235. Classroom Teacher Certification Standards</b>	<i>Subchapter A. General Provisions</i>	Educator Certification	February 2026
	<i>Subchapter B. Elementary School Certificate Standards</i>		
	<i>Subchapter C. Middle School Certificate Standards</i>		
	<i>Subchapter D. Secondary School Certificate Standards</i>		
	<i>Subchapter E. Science of Teaching Reading Standards</i>		
	<i>Subchapter F. Supplemental Certificate Standards</i>		
	<i>Subchapter G. Special Education Certificate Standards</i>		
<b>Chapter 241. Certification as Principal</b>	<i>Subchapter A. Principal as Instructional Leader Certificate and Endorsement</i>	Educator Certification	February 2026
	<i>Subchapter B. Principal Certificate</i>		
<b>Chapter 242. Superintendent Certificate</b>		Educator Certification	February 2026
<b>Chapter 233. Categories of Classroom Teaching Certificates</b>		Educator Certification	September 2026