



Council on Elementary and Secondary Education

Meeting

Tuesday, December 4, 2018

5:30 p.m.

255 Westminster Street, Providence
RIDE, Room 501

1. ACCEPTANCE OF THE AGENDA

2. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

a. November 27, 2018, Meeting

[Enclosure 2a](#)

3. OPEN FORUM

4. REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONER

5. DISCUSSION ITEMS

a. Proposed Revisions to the Regulations Governing the Certification of Educators in Rhode Island

[Enclosure 5a](#)

b. Reformatted Regulations Governing the Education of Children with Disabilities

[Enclosure 5b](#)

c. Regulations of the Comprehensive Early Childhood Education (CECE) Program – Feedback from Public Review and Comment Period

[Enclosure 5c](#)

d. Procedural Rules for Appeals to and Hearings Before the Commissioner and Procedural Rules for Appeals from Decisions of the Commissioner – Feedback from Public Review and Comment Period

[Enclosure 5d](#)

6. ACTION ITEMS

a. Approval of Regulations

a1. Regulations Governing the Certification of Educators in Rhode Island

[Enclosure 6a1](#)

a2. Regulations Governing the Education of Children with Disabilities

[Enclosure 6a2](#)

a3. Regulations of the Comprehensive Early Childhood Education (CECE) Program

[Enclosure 6a3](#)

a4. Procedural Rules for Appeals to and Hearings Before the Commissioner and Procedural Rules for Appeals from Decisions of the Commissioner

[Enclosure 6a4](#)

b. Approval of Appeals Committee Recommendations

b1. Warwick School Committee v. Joseph Bleczinski

[Enclosure 6b1](#)

b2. DCYF v. North Kingstown School Department

[Enclosure 6b2](#)

b3. DCYF v. Providence School Department

[Enclosure 6b3](#)

c. Approval of League of Charter Schools Variance Request

[Enclosure 6c](#)

UPCOMING MEETINGS

The next Meeting of the Council on Elementary and Secondary Education is on Tuesday, December 18, 2018, 5:30 p.m., at RIDE.