



Council on Elementary and Secondary Education

Tuesday, February 9, 2021

Remote Meeting

255 Westminster Street, Providence

And

Zoom Webinar

5:30 p.m.

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1. ACCEPTANCE OF THE AGENDA

2. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

- a. Minutes of December 15, 2020 Meeting

[Enclosure 2a](#)

3. PRESENTATION OF AWARD CERTIFICATES

4. COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

5. OPEN FORUM

6. DISCUSSION ITEMS

- a. Update on State Standards and Curriculum Work

[Enclosure 6a](#)

- b. Student Learning Losses as a Result of COVID-19

[Enclosure 6b](#)

- c. Proposed Revisions to the School Health Regulations

[Enclosure 6c](#)

- d. Request for Continuation of Authority to Commissioner to Temporarily Waive Certain Requirements of Educator Certification Regulations

[Enclosure 6d](#)

7. ACTION ITEMS

- a. Approval of the Proposed Revisions to the School Health Regulations, for the Purpose of Public Review and Comment

[Enclosure 7a](#)

- b. Approval of Continuation of Authority to Commissioner to Temporarily Waive Certain Requirements of Educator Certification Regulations

[Enclosure 7b](#)

8. UPCOMING MEETINGS

The next meeting of the Council on Elementary and Secondary Education is on Tuesday, March 9, 2021, 5:30 p.m.

9. ADJOURNMENT