RHODE ISLAND Non-Public School Legislation Summary

Updated Non-Public School Approval Process		
Approval Element	Reference and related information	Approval Process
1. Length of school day and year is substantially equivalent to public schools	RIGL 16-19-2	Electronic submission of number of instructional days in year and minutes in day
2. Instruction is substantially equivalent to that in public schools in specified content areas	RIGL 16-19-2 RIGL 16-22-2 RIGL 16-22-4	Affirmation of a taught curriculum in specified content areas
3. RIDE maintenance of anon- public school directory with specified fields	RIGL 16-40-11	Data for directory derived from electronic submission of a non-public school application
4. Criminal background check	RIGL 16-2-18.2	Affirmation completed criminal background check
5. Student attendance reporting requirements	RIGL 16-19-2 RIGL 16-12-4	Continued management through eRIDE
6. Non-public school compliance with state immunization requirements	RIGL 16-38-2	Affirmation that all students are appropriately immunized
7. Compliance with state safety requirements	RIGL 16-21-3	Affirmation of compliance and of record maintenance
8. Compliance with fire drill and lockdown requirements	RIGL 16-21-4 RIGL 16-21-5	Affirmation of compliance and of record maintenance
9. Compliance with the health regs including provision of health education, services and healthful environment	RIGL 16-21-7 Health Regulations	Affirmation on approval form