

Commission's E-Government Program Improves Efficiency of Recruitment and Placement of Teachers

The Commission's e-government program improves efficiency in teacher recruitment and placement is up and running. To see how it works, log on to the Commission's website www.ctc.ca.gov to obtain information about an existing or potential teacher's credential status or history. The site offers a snapshot of the Commission's data base and is updated every 24 hours. Prior to introduction of this program, individuals received credential information by mail, phone or fax.

Additional e-government programs launched include online credential renewal that allows credentialed teachers to use the internet site to renew and pay for their credential. In December 2004, the Commission introduced the final phase of the project, which allows teacher preparation programs to apply online as they recommend teacher candidates for new credentials.