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Educator Preparation Committee

Subject Matter Requirements and Implementation of Expanded Candidate Options for Meeting Statutory Subject Matter Requirements

Executive Summary: This agenda item presents a plan for updating the Subject Matter Requirements for all teaching credential areas to ensure alignment with current TK-12 state student standards and support educator preparation programs in the review of transcripts to determine prospective teachers' subject matter competence as authorized by Education Code section 44259(b)(5)(A).

Recommended Action: Staff needs additional time to gather information and recommends that the Commission table this item to a future meeting.

Presenter: David DeGuire, Director, Professional Services Division

Strategic Plan Goal

II. Program Quality and Accountability

- b) Effectively and efficiently monitor program implementation and outcomes and hold all approved educator preparation programs to high standards and continuous improvement through the accreditation process.

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Staff Recommendation

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