

COMMISSION ON TEACHER CREDENTIALING

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TO: All Individuals and Groups Interested in the Activities
of the Commission on Teacher Credentialing

FROM: John F. Brown, Executive Secretary *John F. Brown*

SUBJECT: Proposed Changes in Title 5 Regulations - Definitions
and Terms, Section 80001.

In accordance with Commission policy and regulations in the California Administrative Code, the above cited Title 5 Regulation is being distributed prior to public hearing. The public hearing to amend these regulations is scheduled as follows:

September 1, 1983
1:30 p.m.
Pepper Tree Motor Lodge
3850 State Street
Santa Barbara, California

Specifically, this proposed regulation provides notice of definitions and terms to be used by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing to determine which postsecondary institutions may submit, for review and approval, a professional preparation program for a services or teaching credential. The regulations are authorized by Education Code Sections 44225, 44227, 44310, 44311, 44313, 44314, and 44320.

Please feel free to duplicate and distribute the attached regulation as proposed for amendment to anyone you believe might be interested in responding. If you wish to make a presentation regarding the above to the Commission, please bring thirty copies of your material for distribution to the Commissioners and staff. If you provide this statement to the Commission office by August 15, 1983, sufficient copies of the material will be duplicated and distributed for Commission and staff use. We would also appreciate a call to the Commission office if you plan to make a presentation in order to schedule sufficient time on the agenda for people who wish to address the Commission. If you do not want to make a presentation or submit a statement regarding this proposed regulation, you can reply on the response form found on the last page.

Proposed Title 5 Regulations

Amend Section 80001 to read:

80001. Definitions and Terms.

For purposes of Part VIII:

(a) "Applicant" means any applicant for a credential issued by the Commission.

(b) "Application for a credential" includes an application for a credential, an application for a renewal of a credential, an application to add new authorizations to an existing credential, or a request to take any special action in relation to the issuance of a credential.

~~(c) "Chairman" means the Chairman of the Commission pursuant to Education Code Section 44218.~~

~~(d)~~(c) "Commission" means the Commission for Teacher Preparation and Licensing on Teacher Credentialing as constituted under Education Code Section 44210.

(d) "Approved program" means a collegiate program approved by the Commission, which is offered at and by an accredited collegiate institution.

(e) "Accredited collegiate institution" means an institution of higher education that has been accredited by a regional accrediting commission or association which has been approved by the Council on Postsecondary Accreditation and by the United States Department of Education.

(f) "Course work" means academic subject matter successfully completed at an accredited institution.

~~(e)~~(g) "Credential" means any credential, life diploma, permit, or document issued by, or under the jurisdiction of, the Commission which entitles the holder thereof to perform services for which certification qualifications are required.

~~(f)~~(h) "Degree" means a baccalaureate or higher degree as specified in Education Code Section 44259(a) earned through an approved accredited college or university, regardless of its title, when the credential candidate's degree program contains ~~no less subject matter preparation than a similar degree in a subject field other than professional education~~ academic subject matter preparation equal to an academic major from the academic department where the subject matter was taken.

(g)(i) "Denial" includes the denial of any portion of an application for a credential, even though the requested credential is issued or renewed.

~~(h)~~(j) "Executive Secretary" means the Executive Secretary to the Commission pursuant to Education Code Section 44220.

(i)(j) "Issuance" means the granting of a credential based upon the application for or renewal of that credential.

(j)(k) "Vice-Chairman" means the Vice-Chairman to the Commission.

(k)(l) "Professional" or "Clear" credential means a credential for which all requirements have been met, except credentials issued on partial, preliminary, or emergency basis.

NOTE: Authority cited: Sections 44225, Education Code

Reference cited: Section 44226, 44227, 44254 and 44259, Education Code

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OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

Section(s) 80001

RESPONSE TO ATTACHED TITLE 5 REGULATIONS

So that the Commission for Teacher Preparation and Licensing can more clearly estimate the general field response to the attached Title 5 Regulations which are coming up for Public Hearing, please return this response to the Commission Office at the above address by August 15, 1983 in order that the material can be presented at the September 1, 1983 public hearing Commission meeting.

- 1. Yes, I agree with the proposed Title 5 Regulations. Please count me in favor of these regulations.
- 2. No, I do not agree with the proposed Title 5 Regulations for the following reasons: (If additional space is needed, use the reverse side of this sheet.)
- 3. Personal opinion of the undersigned only.
 Organizational opinion. (Please specify) _____
- 4. I shall be at the Public Hearing, place my name on the list for making a presentation to the Commission.
 No, I will not make a presentation to the Commission at the Public Hearing.

(Print or type name) Date _____

Title _____

Representing: _____
(Circle One: School District, College, University, Professional Organization, Private Citizen, Other)