

Certificate of the Minnesota Professional Educator Licensing and Standards Board

Resolution Authorizing Rulemaking

**Proposed Amendment to Rules Governing School Counseling Programs and Licensure,
Minnesota Rules, 8705.0100, 8705.1010, and 8710.6400
Revisor ID R-4703**

WHEREAS, the Minnesota Professional Educator Licensing and Standards Board is responsible for maintaining licensure standards for teacher preparation providers, teachers, and related service providers in Minnesota.

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statutes 122A.18 authorizes the Board to license teachers, including school counselors.

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statutes 122A.09, subdivision 9, authorizes the Board to adopt rules to implement requirements and processes for licensure, to approve teacher preparation programs, and relating to the grade levels that a licensed teacher may teach.

Subd. 9. Professional Educator Licensing and Standards Board must adopt rules.

(a) The Professional Educator Licensing and Standards Board must adopt rules subject to the provisions of chapter 14 to implement sections 120B.363, 122A.05 to 122A.09, 122A.092, 122A.16, 122A.17, 122A.18, 122A.181, 122A.182, 122A.183, 122A.184, 122A.185, 122A.187, 122A.188, 122A.20, 122A.21, 122A.23, 122A.26, 122A.28, and 122A.29.

(c) The board must adopt rules relating to the grade levels that a licensed teacher may teach.

WHEREAS, I, Brian Rappe, certify that I am a member and the Chair of the Minnesota Professional Educator Licensing and Standards Board, a board authorized under the laws of the State of Minnesota; that the following is a true, complete, and correct copy of a resolution that the Professional Educator Licensing and Standards Board adopted at a properly convened meeting on July 16, 2021; that a quorum was present; and that a majority of those present voted for the resolution, which has not been rescinded or modified.

THEREFORE, the Board resolved the following:

1. The Executive Director of the Board is authorized and directed to sign and to give the notice for Request for Comment on the proposed rule changes. The Executive

Director must give this notice to all persons who have registered their names with the Board for that purpose. The Executive Director must also publish the notice in the State Register. Furthermore, the Executive Director is authorized and directed to do anything else needed to complete this notice.

2. The Executive Director of the Board is authorized and directed to sign and to give the Notice of the Board's Intent to Adopt Rules. The Executive Director must give this notice to all persons who have registered their names with the Board for that purpose. The Executive Director must also publish the notice in the State Register. Furthermore, the Executive Director is authorized and directed to do anything else needed to complete this notice.
3. If there are fewer than 25 outstanding hearing requests, the Executive Director of the Board is authorized and directed to sign the Order Adopting Rules and to do anything else needed to adopt these rules without a hearing.
4. If there are 25 or more outstanding hearing requests, the Executive Director of the Board is authorized and directed to act as the Board's representative at the hearing and do anything else needed to adopt these rules with a hearing. This includes authority to sign the Order Adopting Rules if there are no modifications to the rules other than modifications approved by the Board.

July 16, 2021

Date



Brian Rappe, Chair