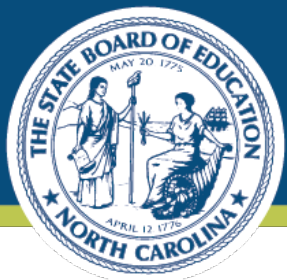




Proposed Rule Changes

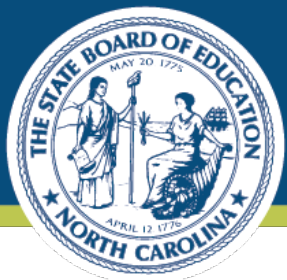
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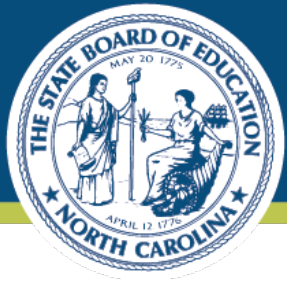
Background

- The SBE adopted new temporary rules in March 2024 to amend the Standards of Professional Conduct and the disciplinary process for educators with respect to their professional educator license.
- The SBE must now adopt permanent rules.
- The proposed permanent rules include a few changes to clarify and address deficiencies in the temporary rules.

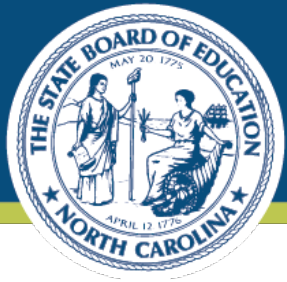


Timeline

SBE Proposes Permanent Rules	September 5, 2024
Public Comment Period	October 1, 2024 – December 6, 2024
Public Hearing (Virtual)	November 8, 2024 9:00 AM
SBE Adopts Permanent Rules	January 9, 2025
Permanent Rules Take Effect	July 1, 2025

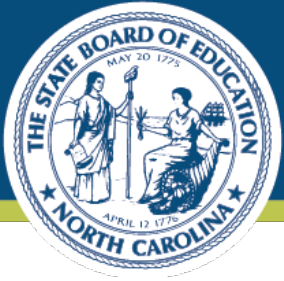


CHANGES FROM PROPOSED RULES



16 NCAC 06C .0601 (Definitions)

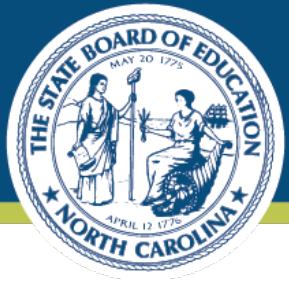
- Adds definition for “convicted” to clarify that it includes guilty pleas and pleas of no contest.
- Removes terms that have been moved to the master definition rule proposed in July.



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(Reporting Requirements for PSU Administrators)

- Revises reporting requirements to include a non-renewal of a contract due to professional misconduct.
- Requires PSU to notify employee of duty to report upon separation from employment.
- Clarifies application of G.S. 115C-13 to personnel records and investigative files.



QUESTIONS?