
Educator Licensure Policy 5.502

The Background:

The Educator Licensure Policy outlines requirements related to the issuance, renewal, and advancement of educator licenses in Tennessee. This policy complements the Educator Licensure Rule 0520-02-03, which was recently revised and had an updated version go into effect in November 2019.

Changes to this policy include removing a significant amount of language that is duplicative of rule or statute, clarifying allowable options for educators to earn professional development points in Appendix A, and updating the list of active endorsements in Appendix B.

The Recommendation:

State Board staff recommends acceptance of this item on first reading.