

RULES
OF
THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION
CHAPTER 0520-02-04
EDUCATOR PREPARATION

AMEND Rule 0520-02-04-.03 Eligible Educator Preparation Providers by adding the following as a new paragraph (5):

- (5) Pursuant to the Governor's Executive Orders of the year 2020 declaring the existence of a State of Emergency in response to COVID-19 and Public Chapter 652 of 2020, notwithstanding paragraph (2)(c), a Tennessee LEA or consortium of Tennessee LEAs are eligible to apply for State Board approval to serve as a Tennessee-approved EPP if the LEA or consortium of LEAs have not received the lowest performance determination on the state's accountability model pursuant to T.C.A. § 49-1-602 in 2018 and 2019.

Authority: T.C.A. §§ 49-1-302, 49-5-101, 49-5-108, Executive Order No. 14 of 2020 (and applicable, subsequent Executive Orders addressing COVID-19 relief), Public Chapter 652 of 2020. **Administrative History:** Original rule filed March 16, 1992; effective June 29, 1992. Amendment filed January 31, 1995; effective May 31, 1995. Amendment filed April 27, 1998; effective August 28, 1998. Amendment filed May 28, 1999; effective September 28, 1999. Amendment filed April 28, 2000; effective August 28, 2000. Amendment filed July 31, 2000; effective November 28, 2000. Amendment filed August 31, 2001; effective December 28, 2001. Amendment filed October 31, 2002; effective February 28, 2003. Amendment filed May 19, 2005; effective September 28, 2005. Repeal and new rule filed April 17, 2006; effective August 28, 2006. Amendments filed April 30, 2009; effective August 28, 2009. Repeal filed May 29, 2015; effective August 27, 2015. Emergency rules filed January 28, 2019; effective through July 27, 2019. Amendments filed January 28, 2019; effective April 28, 2019.