



AGENDA

State Board of Education

September 16, 2009

1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

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I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL (MEMBERS PRESENT)

III. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING

August 18, 2009

IV. OFFICER'S REPORTS

Chair

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V. BOARD MEMBER REPORTS

VI. CONSENT AGENDA

- A. Receipt of Request from the New England School of Communications (NESCOM) to Rename the Board Approved Bachelor of Science in Communications Degree to Reflect Actual Practice and to Comply With National Accrediting Agency Requirements.
- B. Receipt of the Teacher Education Accreditation Council (TEAC) Notification of Accreditation Decision Regarding Teacher Preparation Programs at the University of Southern Maine.

VII. SPECIAL ORDERS (Important business previously designated for consideration)

- A. Consideration of the University of Southern Maine Educator Preparation Programs for State Program Approval.
- B. Consideration of the Review Team Report of Findings Concerning the Application from Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University for Renewal of Authorization to Offer Academic Credit Programs in Maine.
- C. Consideration of the Review Team Report of Findings Concerning the Application for Additional Degree-Granting Authorization as Submitted by The Landing School to Award the Associate of Applied Science in Marine Industry Technology Degree.

VIII. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- A. Consideration of Amending the Recommended Approvals for the 2009 Qualified School Construction Bond Program (QSCB) Program for the City of Portland.
- B. Consideration of the Certification and Higher Education Committee recommendation regarding possible revisions to Chapter 115, Parts I and II, Certification, Authorization and Approval of Education Personnel.

IX. NEW BUSINESS

- A. Approval of the Proposed Team for the Review of the University of New England Teacher Education Programs.
- B. Approval of the Proposed Team for the Review of the Thomas College Teacher Education Programs.
- C. Approval of the Team for the Review of the University of Maine at Machias Teacher Education Program.
- D. Approval of the Team for the Review of the Colby College Teacher Education Program.

X. ANNOUNCEMENTS

- A. Expense Account Vouchers

XI. PUBLIC COMMENT

XII. ADJOURN