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State Board of Education Meeting Recap— Wednesday, June 10

The Colorado State Board of Education approved all of the items on its regular meeting agenda, held June 10.

Those agenda items included a five-year reauthorization of Teach Now, the alternative licensure program at Western State College; specific teacher preparation programs at Western State College and the University of Northern Colorado; and the principal and administrator induction program from the Charter School Institute.

The approved items also included payments to administrative units under the Exceptional Children's Educational Act for reimbursement for students in high cost placements or programs (both in-district and out-of-district); certification of amounts payable to school districts for the Public School Finance Act of 1994; re-appointment of a rural superintendent to the Public School Capital Construction Assistance Board; certification of online programs for Achieve K12 and 21st Century Virtual Academy; and distribution of 2009-2010 state funding for gifted student education.

The board also approved disciplinary proceedings in three educator licensing cases, requests for seven emergency initial authorizations and one request for emergency renewal authorizations.

In rulemaking agenda items, the board approved notice of rulemaking for proposed amendments to the rules governing the Educator Licensing Act of 1991, 1 CCR 301-37, concerning career and technical credentialing; approved emergency rules modifying sections 14.00

through 20.00 of the rules for the administration of the Public School Finance Act of 1994, 1 CCR 301-39; and approved a request for public rulemaking hearing on amendments to the rules for the administration of the Public School Finance Act of 1994, 1 CCR 301-39.

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