

**ADVISORY BOARD ON TEACHER EDUCATION
AND LICENSURE (ABTEL)**

DoubleTree Hotel - Richmond Airport

Presidential North Room
5501 Eubank Road
Sandston, Virginia 23150
(804) 226-6400

March 16, 2009

Full Board Meeting

9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

AGENDA

FULL BOARD

8:30 a.m.-9:00 a.m.

Arrival and Refreshments

Presidential North Room

9:00 a.m.-9:30 a.m.

Full Board Convenes

Tracey L. Dingus, Chair of ABTEL, Presiding

- ◆ Opening Remarks and Welcome
- ◆ Introduction of Guests
- ◆ Approval of Agenda
- ◆ Approval of Minutes
- ◆ Public Comment

GUIDELINES FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

1. The Advisory Board on Teacher Education and Licensure is pleased to receive public comment at each of its regular meetings. Public comment is only accepted during the public comment period, not during standing committees. In order to allow the advisory board sufficient time for its other business, the total time allotted to public comment will generally be limited to thirty (30) minutes. Individuals seeking to speak to the Board will be allotted three (3) minutes each.
2. Those wishing to speak at the advisory board should contact Ms. Alice Bryant at (804) 371-2522.
3. Speakers are urged to contact Ms. Bryant in advance of the meeting. Because of time limitations, those persons who have not previously registered to speak prior to the day of the Advisory Board meeting cannot be assured that they will have an opportunity to appear before the Advisory Board.
4. In order to make the limited time available most effective, speakers may provide multiple written copies of their comments.

9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

PRESENTATIONS TO FULL BOARD

Report on the 2009 Virginia General Assembly

*Mrs. Anne Wescott
Assistant Superintendent
Division of Policy and Communications
Virginia Department of Education*

**Report on the Radford University's
Approved Education Program**

*Dr. Patricia Shoemaker, Dean
College of Education and Human
Development
Radford University*

**Board of Education Action on February 19, 2009,
on the First Review of a Recommendation of the
Advisory Board on Teacher Education and
Licensure to Grant Approval to Requests to
Add New Endorsement Programs at Norfolk
State University and Virginia State University**

*Mrs. Patty S. Pitts
Assistant Superintendent
Division of Teacher Education and Licensure
Virginia Department of Education*

**Continued Discussion and Recommendation on the
Assessment of Basic Skills for Entry Into a
Virginia Approved Education Preparation
Program**

Mrs. Patty S. Pitts

11:30 a.m.-12:00 noon

Standing Committees:

Teacher Education Committee

*Discussion: April Report of ABTEL Accomplishments
for the 2008-09 Year*

Licensure Committee

*Discussion: April Report of ABTEL Accomplishments
for the 2008-09 Year*

12:00 noon-1:00 p.m.: Working Lunch

1:00 p.m.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

LIAISON REPORTS

The Virginia Community College System (VCCS)

Mrs. Rebecca Waters for Mr. Bill Hightower

The Council of Higher Education for Virginia (SCHEV)

Dr. Gary Krapf

Virginia Department of Education

Mrs. Patty Pitts

2:00 p.m.

- ◆ ADJOURNMENT

2:00 p.m.

- ◆ Executive Committee Meeting