ADVISORY BOARD ON TEACHER EDUCATION AND LICENSURE (ABTEL)

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September 15, 2008   Orientation for New Members
8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.

Full Board Meeting
9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

AGENDA

ORIENTATION FOR NEW ABTEL MEMBERS – 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Orientation for
New Advisory Board Members

Dr. JoAnne Y. Carver
Director of Teacher Education

Dr. James Lanham
Director of Licensure

FULL BOARD

8:30 a.m.-8:45 a.m.

Arrival and Continental Breakfast

Presidential North Room

9:00 a.m.-10:15 a.m.

Full Board Convenes
Dr. William H. Graves, Chair of Teacher Education, Presiding

♦ Opening Remarks and Welcome
♦ Introduction of New Members
♦ 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.

♦ Election of Officers

   Chair*
   Vice-Chair

*Chair will preside upon election by the Advisory Board.

♦ Election of a Member-at-Large to Serve on the Executive Committee

♦ Appointments of Chairs

   Chair of the Teacher Education Committee
   Chair of the Licensure Committee

♦ Committee Assignments for 2008-09

♦ Review and Approval of 2008-09 Meeting Dates:

   September 15, 2008
   November 17, 2008
   January 26, 2009
   March 16, 2009
   April 20, 2009
PRESENTATIONS TO FULL BOARD

Updates on Teacher Education and Licensure  

♦  Code of Virginia Revisions Related to Licensure

♦  Commonwealth of Virginia Critical Shortage Teaching Endorsement Areas

♦  Approved Programs Timeline

♦  Partnership with the Teacher Education Accreditation Council

♦  Board of Education Approval to ABTEL’s Recommendation to Add New Endorsement Programs

10:30 a.m.-12:00 noon

Standing Committees:

Teacher Education Committee

Agenda Item 1: Review of Revisions to the Definitions of At-Risk of Becoming Low-Performing and Low-Performing Institution of Higher Education in Virginia

Agenda Item 2: Review of the Accountability Measure of Partnerships and Collaborations Based on Prek-12 School Needs

Agenda Item 3: Review of Requests to Add New Endorsement Programs at George Mason University, James Madison University, Liberty University, Longwood University, Lynchburg College, Norfolk State University, Randolph College, Regent University, Roanoke College, Shenandoah University, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, and Virginia Commonwealth University

Agenda Item 4: Review of the Draft Implementation Manual for the Regulations Governing the Review and Approval of Education Programs in Virginia
Licensure Committee

Agenda Item 1: Review of the Request from the American Board for Certification of Teacher Education (ABCTE)

Agenda Item 2: Review of the “Advancing Virginia’s Leadership Agenda” Initiative

Agenda Item 3: Review of Praxis II Test Regeneration

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

Working Lunch

1:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

Teacher Education Committee

Licensure Committee

2:00 p.m.

♦ ADJOURNMENT

2:00 p.m.

♦ Executive Committee Meeting