

MINUTES
**HOUSE EDUCATION COMMITTEE
MARSHALL SUBCOMMITTEE**

DATE: Tuesday, January 21, 2020

TIME: 8:00 A.M.

PLACE: Room EW41

MEMBERS: Chairman Marshall, Representatives Shepherd, Mendive, DeMordaunt, Moon, Abernathy, Berch

**ABSENT/
EXCUSED:** None

GUESTS: Harold Ott, Rural Schools; Tracie Bent, OSBE; Marilyn Whitney and Lisa Colón Durham, SDE; Jay Shaw, OAR/DFM

Chairman Marshall called the meeting to order at 8:01 am.

Chairman Marshall said the Subcommittee's next meeting would be on Friday.

MOTION: **Rep. Mendive** made a motion to approve the minutes of the January 10, 2020 and January 14, 2020 meetings. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO.
08-0202-1902:** **Lisa Colón Durham**, Director of Certification and Professional Standards, State Department of Education, continued her presentation of this docket. In response to Committee concerns about the complexity of the Idaho Standards for the Initial Certification of Professional School Personnel, she said the Professional Standards Commission discussed the issue last week. They plan to reach out to constituent groups between now and April to see if all the standards are truly needed and focus on minimizing duplication. She stated if the Department is given the remainder of this year for negotiated rulemaking, the Committee may see quite a reduction next year. Further, she welcomed any specific feedback and engagement from Committee members.

In response to Committee questions, **Ms. Durham** clarified the substantive changes in the docket. There is no requirement for nontraditional teacher preparation programs to meet CAEP (Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation) standards, nor will the changes prohibit an ABCTE (American Board for Certification of Teacher Excellence) candidate from earning a special education endorsement. She discussed the process for candidates in a nontraditional program to transition from a three year, interim certificate to a five year, renewable one.

MOTION: **Rep. DeMordaunt** made a motion to recommend the full Committee approve **Docket No. 08-0202-1902. Motion carried by voice vote.**

ADJOURN: There being no further business to come before the Subcommittee, the meeting adjourned at 8:30 am.

Representative Marshall
Chair

Erica McGinnis
Secretary