

Professional Teachers Practices and Standards Commission

Notice of Public Hearing to Adopt Rules

A public hearing will be held in the MacKay Building, First Floor, Conference Room 1, 800 Governors Drive, Pierre, South Dakota, on June 27, 2023, at 8:30 a.m. CDT, to consider proposed amended rules 24:08:01:01, 24:08:02:04, and 24:08:03:03.

The effect of the proposed amended rules is to clarify references to educators and to add a requirement to the code of ethics for the reporting of violations of the code.

The rules are intended to ensure that educators make a report when they become aware of a violation of the code of ethics.

Persons interested in presenting data, opinions, amendments, and arguments for or against the proposed rules may appear in-person at the hearing or mail them to the South Dakota Department of Education, Attn: Ferne Haddock, 800 Governors Drive, Pierre, South Dakota 57501, or transmitting the information to: Ferne.Haddock@state.sd.us. Persons may also submit the information at this website: <https://rules.sd.gov/default.aspx>. Materials sent by mail must reach the Department of Education by June 22, 2023, to be considered.

At the public hearing, the Professional Teachers Practices and Standards Commission will consider all written and oral comments it receives on the proposed rules. The commission may modify or amend a proposed rule at that time to include or exclude matters that are described in this notice.

For Persons with Disabilities: This hearing will be located at a physically accessible place. Please contact the Department at least 48 hours before the public hearing if you have special needs for which special arrangements can be made by calling (605) 773-3553.

Copies of the proposed rules may be obtained without charge from:

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