



Certification and Higher Education Committee
Maine State Board of Education
Minutes of the September 30, 2021 Special Meeting

The Certification and Higher Education Committee held a special meeting on Thursday, September 30, 2021, virtually via Zoom. The following were present: Committee Chair, Wendy Ault; Wilson Hess; Victoria Kornfield; and Fern Desjardins (Board Members). Deputy Commissioner Chuhta; Angel Loreda, Director of Office of Higher Education and Educator Support Services (Department of Education) and Mary Becker, State Board of Education Secretary Specialist.

Chair, Wendy Ault called the meeting to order at 12:23 PM.

Introductions: Chair Ault welcomed all members to the meeting and reviewed the agenda.

The focus of the September 30, 2021 special meeting was stated:

- Continue the review of a Statement of Factual and Policy Basis and Summary of Comments/Responses – State Board of Education Chapter 115, Part I Standards and Procedures for Credentialing, Part II Requirements for Specific Certificates and Endorsements.

Public Comment:

No Public Comment

Chapter 115 Comment/Response Review:

- The Committee continued review of comments and responses for Chapter 115 – Commenter 13, comment #11 (Adaptive PE). Following discussion, the Committee will continue review on Adaptive PE at the next meeting.
- Comment #15 through Comment #16 – Adaptive PE.

Meeting Handouts:

- 1) Agenda
- 2) Chapter 115 Comments and Responses

The next regular Certification Committee meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, October 27, 2021 at 10:30 AM. The meeting will be held virtually via Zoom.

Adjournment:

The September 30, 2021 Special Certification and Higher Education Committee meeting adjourned at 1:00 PM.

Respectfully submitted,
Mary Johnson Becker
Secretary Specialist, Maine State Board of Education