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Notice of Proposed Emergency Regulations

Supplemented Audit Guide for K-12 Local Education Agencies – Fiscal Year 2016-17

Pursuant to the requirements of Government Code Section 11346.1(a)(2) and Education Code Section 14502(b), the Education Audit Appeals Panel (EAAP) is providing notice of proposed *emergency* regulations, which consist of an amended Title 5, Section 19810, and a supplemented audit guide for the performance of the audits required by Education Code Section 41020 for the 2016-17 fiscal year. Accompanying this notice are the revised Section 19810, the Audit Guide for 2016-17 for K-12 Local Education Agencies, supplemented as of March 1, 2017 (incorporated by reference in Section 19810), and the Finding of Emergency. You may also view this Notice, the proposed emergency text, and the Finding of Emergency at <http://www.eaap.ca.gov>.

Written Public Comment

The proposed emergency regulations will be filed with the Office of Administrative Law (OAL) at least five *working* days after the distribution and posting of this Notice. The period for submitting written public comments to OAL will end five *calendar* days after OAL's posting. In order for OAL to consider comments, the comments must be *received* by OAL **no later than 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, January 17, 2017**.

If you have comments regarding the proposed changes that you would like OAL to consider, you must submit those comments *in writing* to OAL and to EAAP at the addresses below. You must *specify the topic* of the emergency regulations (including the Supplemented Audit Guide for K-12 Local Education Agencies – Fiscal Year 2016-17). In Section 19810 and the proposed Supplemented Audit Guide, proposed new language is underlined; while proposed deletions are marked using a single strikeout.

Submit written comments for *receipt* by OAL **no later than 5:00 p.m. on January 17, 2017, to:**

Debra M. Cornez, Director
Office of Administrative Law
300 Capitol Mall, Suite 1250
Sacramento, California 95814-4339
Fax: (916) 323-6826, e-mail: staff@oal.ca.gov
(Re: Education Audit Appeals Panel Emergency Rulemaking)

On the same day, provide EAAP with a copy of any comments submitted to OAL, addressed to:

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(You may fax a copy of any comments to EAAP to ensure timely arrival.)

Permanent Regulations

Once approved by OAL and filed with the Secretary of State (on or about January 23, 2017), the *emergency* regulations will remain in effect until replaced by *permanent* regulations. At its December 19, 2016 meeting, the Panel directed staff to commence this emergency adoption, and presently to begin the regular rulemaking process, for the eventual adoption of these proposed changes, following public comment, as a *permanent* regulations adopting the Audit Guide for 2016-17, supplemented as of March 1, 2017.

Contact Person:

Inquiries concerning the substance of the proposed action may be directed to Timothy Morgan, Staff Attorney, at (916) 445-7745 or by e-mail: tmorgan@eaap.ca.gov.

Enclosures: Finding of Emergency
Proposed text of emergency supplemental audit guide regulations, including:
Amended Title 5, Section 19810, and Audit Guide for 2016-17 for K-12 Local
Education Agencies, supplemented as of March 1, 2017 (incorporated by
reference in Section 10910)