

Licensure Regulations for School Personnel [8 VAC 20 - 543]

Response to Economic Impact Analysis

January 10, 2022

The Agency largely concurs with the Economic Impact Analysis completed by the Department of Planning and Budget. However, the Agency reiterates that the broader reason for these regulatory changes is to ensure the teacher workforce in Virginia is best equipped to serve all of Virginia's public school students.

Moreover, although this action is in response to legislative mandates, these changes were originally proposed by the Joint Legislative Audit and Review Commission and the African American History Commission after a thorough and comprehensive review of special education and history education in Virginia public schools.