

**ADVISORY BOARD ON TEACHER EDUCATION  
AND LICENSURE (ABTEL)**

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**February 6, 2006**

*AGENDA*

**FULL BOARD**

*Linda Kelly, ABTEL Chair, Presiding*

**8:30 a.m.-8:45 a.m.**

Arrival and Continental Breakfast

**9:00 a.m.-10:45 a.m.**

**FULL BOARD CONVENES**

*Linda Kelly, ABTEL Chair, Presiding*

- ◆ Opening Remarks and Welcome
- ◆ Approval of Agenda
- ◆ Approval of Minutes

**PRESENTATIONS TO FULL BOARD**

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| <b>I.</b>   | <b>Presentation from the 2006 Virginia<br/>Teacher of the Year</b>                                      | <i>Debi Goforth<br/>2006 Virginia Teacher of the Year<br/>Library Media Specialist<br/>Courtland Elementary School<br/>Spotsylvania County</i> |
| <b>II.</b>  | <b>Presentation on the Office of Professional<br/>Practice</b>  | <i>Dr. Douglas J. Fiore, Director<br/>Office of Professional Practice<br/>Virginia Department of Education</i>                                 |
| <b>III.</b> | <b>Presentation on the Results of the Virginia<br/>Communication and Literacy Assessment<br/>(VCLA)</b> | <i>Dr. John Mattar<br/>Senior Area Director<br/>Assessment Service Department<br/>National Evaluation Systems, Inc.</i>                        |

**11:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon**

Standing Committees:

**Teacher Education – Stuart Room**

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| Agenda Item 1: | Review and Approval of Recommendations for Teacher Education Programs Reviewed During the 2005 Year in Virginia Institutions of Higher Education |
| Agenda Item 2: | Response to the ABTEL Motion to Establish an Award and Recognition Program Honoring Mary V. Bicouvaris   |

**Professional Licensure – Leigh Room**

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| Agenda Item 1: | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Review and Discussion of the Results of the Virginia Communication and Literacy Assessment (VCLA) Validation and Standard-Setting Studies; and</li><li>• Recommend an ABTEL Cut Score for the VCLA</li></ul> |
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**12:00 noon-1:00 p.m.**

**Working Lunch**

**1:15 p.m.-2:15 p.m.**

**REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES**

Teacher Education Committee

Dr. William H. Graves, III  
*Committee Chair*

Professional Licensure Committee

Cheryl Lightfoot  
*Committee Chair*

**LIAISON REPORTS**

**The Virginia Community College System (VACCS)**

*Dr. Susan S. Wood*

**The Council of Higher Education for Virginia (SCHEV)**

*Dr. Gary Krapf*

**Virginia Department of Education**

*Dr. Thomas A. Elliott*

- *Status of Regulations Governing the Licensure of Instructional Personnel and the Regulations Governing the Review and Approval of Education Programs in Virginia*
- Third Virginia Teach-In: March 17-18, 2006
- Teachers of Promise Institute: March 17-18, 2006

**2:15 p.m.**

Adjournment

**2:15 p.m.**

Executive Committee Meeting