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

**Embassy Suites By Hilton Richmond Hotel**

**2925 Emerywood Parkway**

**Richmond, Virginia 23294**

**January 31, 2022**

**AGENDA**

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

**Arrival and Continental Breakfast**

**FULL ADVISORY BOARD CONVENES (9:00 a.m.)**

***Dr. Nancy Bradley, Presiding***

♦ **Opening Remarks and Welcome**

**♦ Introduction of New and Returning ABTEL Members**

**♦ Introduction of Board of Education Liaison, Ex Officio Members, and Department Personnel to ABTEL**

**♦ Introduction of Guests**

**♦ Approval of Agenda**

**♦ Approval of Minutes**

**♦ Public Comment**

**GUIDELINES FOR PUBLIC COMMENT**

1. The Advisory Board on Teacher Education and Licensure is pleased to receive public comment at each of its regular meetings. Public comment is only accepted during the public comment period, not during standing committees. In order to allow the Advisory Board sufficient time for its other business, the total time allotted for public comment will generally be limited to thirty (30) minutes. Individuals seeking to speak to the Board will be allotted three (3) minutes each.

2. Those wishing to speak at the Advisory Board should contact Ms. Alice Bryant at

(804) 371-2522.

3. Speakers are urged to contact Ms. Bryant in advance of the meeting. Because of time limitations, those persons who have not previously registered to speak prior to the day of the Advisory Board meeting cannot be assured that they will have an opportunity to appear before the Advisory Board.

4. In order to make the limited time available most effective, speakers may provide multiple written

 copies of their comments.

♦ Remaining 2022 Meeting Dates:

* Monday, January 31
* Monday, March 21
* Monday, April 18

**PRESENTATION**

♦ **Pearson VCLA Regeneration and Customized Assessment Overview**

 *Phil Gullion, Vice President, Educator Solutions for Licensing and Learning, Evaluation Systems at Pearson*

**DISCUSSION**

♦ **Licensure Committee Report on Assessments: Praxis Reading and Elementary Praxis II Comparison Analysis**

*Dr. Eric Moffa, Chair of Licensure Committee*

**AGENDA ITEMS**

♦ **Item 1**: **Recommendations to Approve New Education (Endorsement) Programs at Institutions of Higher Education**

*Ms. Johnelle Torbert, Director of Teacher Education*

♦ **Item 2**: **Review of Proposed Revisions to the *Guidelines for Uniform Performance Standards and Evaluation Criteria for Principals and Superintendents***

*Dr. Joan Johnson, Assistant Superintendent, Department of Teacher Education and Licensure*

♦ **Item 3**: ***Review of Amendments to the Licensure Regulations for School Personnel to Comport with American Sign Language National Certifications***

*Mrs. Maggie Clemmons, Director of Licensure and School Leadership*

**LIAISON REPORTS**

**Virginia Community College System (VCCS)**

Dr. Dan Lewis

*Director of Academic Programs and Policy*

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

Dr. Monica Osei

 *Associate Director for Academic Programs and Instructional Sites*

**Virginia Department of Education (VDOE)**

Dr. Joan Johnson

*Assistant Superintendent, Department of Teacher Education and Licensure*

*BOE Priorities: Educator evaluation and professional development, virtual learning standards/regulations and literacy*

*Written Report: Virginia Teacher Licensure Policy: Biases and Barriers to Diversifying the Workforce (SJR 15)*

*Statewide Responses to Virginia’s Teacher Recruitment and Retention Challenge*

*Alternate Route Pathways to Licensure and Review Committee*

**ANNOUNCEMENTS AND DISCUSSION**

Announcements and Discussion by ABTEL Members

**ADJOURNMENT**