ATTACHMENT I

Statutory Citations Relating to Proposed Amendment to 19 TAC Chapter 250, Administration, Subchapter B, Rulemaking Procedures, §250.20, Petition for Adoption of Rules or Rule Changes

Texas Education Code, §21.035, Administration by Agency:
The Texas Education Agency shall provide the board's administrative functions and services.

Texas Education Code, §21.041, Rules; Fees (excerpt):
(b) The board shall propose rules that:
   (1) provide for the regulation of educators and the general administration of this subchapter in a manner consistent with this subchapter;

Texas Government Code, §2001.021, Petition for Adoption of Rules:
(a) An interested person by petition to a state agency may request the adoption of a rule.
(b) A state agency by rule shall prescribe the form for a petition under this section and the procedure for its submission, consideration, and disposition.
(c) Not later than the 60th day after the date of submission of a petition under this section, a state agency shall:
   (1) deny the petition in writing, stating its reasons for the denial; or
   (2) initiate a rulemaking proceeding under this subchapter.