

State Board for Educator Certification

WORK SESSION AGENDA

JULY 24, 2025 AT 10:00 AM

1601 N. CONGRESS AVE. ROOM 2.029

The Board will meet in open session and after determining the presence of a quorum, discuss the following agenda items:

1. Call to Order

The State Board for Educator Certification (SBEC) convened its meeting at 10:01 am on Thursday, July 24, 2025.

Present: Dr. Veronica Galvan, Mr. Rex Gore, Ms. Courtney MacDonald, Dr. Emma Gelsinger, Ms. Bena Glasscock, Ms. Kelvey Oeser, Dr. Alma Rodriguez, Ms. Jean Streepey, Latisha Andrews, Ms. Julia Dvorak, Dr. Michael McFarland, and Ms. Bobbie Lynn Weir.

Absent: Ms. Tara Zaafran.

2. Welcome and Overview

Chair Streepey welcomed all those in attendance. Chair Streepey introduced new board member, Ms. Latisha Andrews. Associate Commissioner Jessica McLoughlin provided an overview of the session goals and presented the day's agenda.

3. Discussion of 89th Session Legislation

Jessica McLoughlin, Sarah Wolfe, David Rodriguez, and Melissa Yoder provided the board with information on SBEC-related legislation related to the 89th Texas Legislative Session, including Senate Bill (SB) 571, SB 12, and House Bill (HB) 2, discussed next steps for SBEC implementation, and facilitated Board discussion.

The SBEC recessed at 12:24pm.

The SBEC reconvened at 1:03pm.

4. Adjournment

The SBEC adjourned at 4:17pm.

The Board may go into closed session regarding any item on the agenda to the extent it is authorized to do so pursuant to the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code, Chapter 551. The presiding officer of the Board intends to be physically present in Room 1-104, William B. Travis Building, 1701 North Congress Avenue. Some members may attend via videoconferencing.