



State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations  
**Department of State | Office of the Secretary of State**  
 Nellie M. Gorbea, *Secretary of State*

**Rules and Regulations Filing Form**

**1. Agency Name and Address**

**Education, Board of Regents for Elementary and Secondary**

255 Westminster Street

**2. Title of Rule**

Regulations of the Rhode Island Board of Regents for Elementary and Secondary Education - Title A

**3. Statutory Source of Authority**

16-60-1 and 16-60-4

**4. Concise Explanatory Statement - §42-35-2.3**

The purpose of the proposed amendments is to revise Title A of the current Regulations so as to facilitate the scheduling of Board of Regents meetings, the reception of public comment at Regents meetings, compliance with the Open Meetings Act and the Public Records Act, the appointment of members to the boards of state schools, and compliance with equal employment opportunity requirements. The amendments also delete provisions which have been superseded by state and federal laws and regulations.

**5. Type of Filing**

Emergency Rules	
A1. Emergency 120-day initial - §42-35-3(b) <input type="checkbox"/> Adoption <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment of ERLID: ". <input type="checkbox"/> Repeal of ERLID: Brief Statement of Reason for Finding Imminent Peril §42-35-3(b)(2):	A2. Emergency 90-day renewal - §42-35-3(b) <input type="checkbox"/> Adoption <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment Indicate ERLID of 120-day initial:

Final Rules			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B1. Amendment Supersedes ERLID: 4034	<input type="checkbox"/> B2. Adoption Repeals ERLID:	<input type="checkbox"/> B3. Repeal Expires ERLID:	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Technical Revision
If B1 or C, please indicate new, amended, deleted, or revised sections: In accordance with the Administrative Procedures Act, Section 42-35-3(a) of the General Laws of Rhode Island, following is a concise summary of proposed non-technical amendments:			

**6. Notice and Hearing Information**

Date of Public Notice - §42-35-3(a)(1):01/26/2012  
 Date of Public Hearing - §42-35-3(a)(2):Hearing Not Required  
 End of Comment Period:02/27/2012

**7. Agency Additional Information - Web Page**

http://

**8. Certification**

*I hereby certify that the attached rules and regulations were adopted in accordance with the Administrative Procedures Act (42-35) and that they are true copies of this Department, attest,*

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Name  
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 Title

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 Notary Public  
 Subscribed and sworn before me  
 this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_