



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

Board of Regents Regulations Governing Virtual Learning Education in Rhode Island

3. Statutory Source of Authority

Title 16-60-4

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

The purpose of this regulation is to ensure that all students have access to high-quality online learning opportunities, to foster the development and implementation of a wide array of customized learning opportunities and interventions for students, to provide reliable access to the Internet and to the technology tools that students will need to participate in virtual learning, and to coordinate PK-12 policies and initiatives on virtual learning with the policies and initiatives in institutions of higher education and with work of other agencies.

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 type="checkbox"/> B1. Amendment Supersedes ERLID:	<input checked="" 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:			

6. Notice and Hearing Information

Date of Public Notice - §42-35-3(a)(1):05/04/2012
 Date of Public Hearing - §42-35-3(a)(2):Hearing Not Required
 End of Comment Period:06/08/2012

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

 Title

 Notary Public
 Subscribed and sworn before me
 this _____ day of _____, _____