

505-2-.182 TEACHER SUPPORT SPECIALIST ENDORSEMENT

Nature of Amendment(s):

☒ Substantive
☐ Clarification
☐ Further Definition

Discussion:

It is proposed that GaPSC Rule 505-2-.251 TEACHER SUPPORT SPECIALIST ENDORSEMENT, November 15, 2004, be RESCINDED and that a new rule with the same name and new number be INITIATED. The new rule reflects changes and new Certification Rule numbering due to tiered certification, as well as consistency of language.

(1) Eligibility Requirements.

(a) To be eligible for the professional Teacher Support Specialist Endorsement, the applicant must: hold a level four (4) or higher renewable professional certificate in any teaching field and complete other requirements outlined in GaPSC Rule 505-2-.14 ENDORSEMENTS.

(b) To be eligible for the Supplemental Induction Teacher Support Specialist Endorsement, the applicant must hold a level four (4) or higher Induction certificate in any teaching field and complete other requirements outlined in GaPSC Rule 505-2-.14 ENDORSEMENTS.

(2) In-Field Statement (See GaPSC Rule 505-2-.40 IN-FIELD ASSIGNMENT). An individual holding the Teacher Support Specialist Endorsement is in-field to supervise college students completing student teaching requirements, to mentor interns/beginning teachers, to guide practicum, and to support other professional learning experiences in a field-based setting.

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