

**505-2-.187 DRAMATIC WRITING MICRO-ENDORSEMENT**

**Nature of Amendment(s):**

- Substantive  
 Clarification  
 Further Definition

**Discussion:**

It is proposed that GaPSC Rule 505-2-.187 DRAMATIC WRITING MICRO-ENDORSEMENT be INITIATED to create a micro-endorsement type that will allow qualified teachers to teach dramatic writing.

**(1) Eligibility Requirements.**

(a) Professional Certificate (See [505-2-.05 PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATE](#)).

(i). To be eligible for the professional Dramatic Writing Micro-Endorsement, the applicant must hold a level four (4) or higher renewable professional certificate in Drama P-12, English 6-12 or Audio/Video Technology & Film 6-12 and satisfy one of the following options:

1. Complete course work from a GaPSC-accepted accredited institution that covers writing pedagogy/methodology, playwriting, and screen/TV writing; or
2. Complete the Georgia Film Academy Dramatic Writing Film, Television, and Theatre I training; and
3. Request the certificate according to procedures outlined in GaPSC Rule [505-2-.27 CERTIFICATION APPLICATION PROCEDURES](#).

(b) Non-Renewable Professional Certificate (See GaPSC Rule [505-2-.09 NON-RENEWABLE PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATE](#)).

(i) Non-Renewable Professional certificates in the field of Dramatic Writing are issued to individuals who meet the following:

1. Hold a valid level four (4) or higher professional certificate in Drama P-12, English 6-12 or Audio/Video Technology & Film 6-12; and
2. Have the employing Georgia LUA request the certificate according to procedures outlined in GaPSC Rule [505-2-.27 CERTIFICATION APPLICATION PROCEDURES](#).

(c) Induction Certificate (See GaPSC Rule [505-2-.04 INDUCTION CERTIFICATE](#)).

(i) Supplemental Induction certificates in the field of Dramatic Writing are issued to individuals who meet the following:

1. Hold a valid level four (4) or higher Induction certificate in Drama P-12, English 6-12 or Audio/Video Technology & Film 6-12;
2. Complete course work from a GaPSC-accepted accredited institution that covers writing pedagogy/methodology, playwriting, and screen/TV writing; or
3. Complete of the Georgia Film Academy Dramatic Writing Film, Television, and Theatre I training; and

4. Have the employing Georgia LUA request the certificate according to procedures outlined in GaPSC Rule [505-2-.27 CERTIFICATION APPLICATION PROCEDURES](#).

(d) Permit (See GaPSC Rule [505-2-.10 PERMIT CERTIFICATE](#)).

(i) Permit certificates in the field of Dramatic Writing are issued to individuals who meet the following:

1. Hold a valid Permit certificate in Drama P-12 or Audio/Video Technology & Film 6-12;

2. Complete course work from a GaPSC-accepted accredited institution that covers writing pedagogy/methodology, playwriting, and screen/TV writing; or

3. Complete of the Georgia Film Academy Dramatic Writing Film, Television, and Theatre I training; and

4. Have the employing Georgia LUA request the certificate according to procedures outlined in GaPSC Rule [505-2-.27 CERTIFICATION APPLICATION PROCEDURES](#).

(e) Adjunct (See GaPSC Rule [505-2-.15 ADJUNCT LICENSE](#)).

(i) Adjunct licenses in the field of Dramatic Writing are issued to individuals who meet the following:

1. Hold a valid Adjunct license in Drama P-12, English 6-12 or Audio/Video Technology & Film 6-12;

2. Complete course work from a GaPSC-accepted accredited institution that covers writing pedagogy/methodology, playwriting, and screen/TV writing; or

3. Complete the Georgia Film Academy Dramatic Writing Film, Television, and Theatre I training; and

4. Have the employing Georgia LUA request the certificate according to procedures outlined in GaPSC Rule [505-2-.27 CERTIFICATION APPLICATION PROCEDURES](#).

**(2) In-Field Statement (See GaPSC Rule [505-2-.40 IN-FIELD ASSIGNMENT](#)).**

(a) An individual with the Dramatic Writing Micro-Endorsement is in-field to teach dramatic writing courses when combined with the Drama P-12, English 6-12, or Audio/Video Technology & Film 6-12 teaching certificate.

(b) Each state-approved curriculum course, with specified certificate fields that are designated as in-field, may be found under Certification/Curriculum Assignment Policies (CAPS) on the GaPSC web site at [www.gapsc.com](http://www.gapsc.com).

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