



Professional Standards Commission  
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**NOTICE**

**TO:** ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND PARTIES

**FROM:** Professional Standards Commission and  
Matt Arthur, Executive Secretary

**SUBJECT:** Notice of Proposed Rulemaking

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the authority contained in Official Code of Georgia Title 20, it is proposed that the Professional Standards Commission initiate rulemaking procedures in accordance with Georgia Administrative Procedures Act so as to provide for (1) **amending** the current rules in Chapter 505-2- Certification, effective July 1, 2022, as follows: 505-2-.03, 505-2-.08, 505-2-.26, and 505-2-.27; and (2) **initiating** the current rule in Chapter 505-2- Certification, effective July 1, 2022, as follows: 505-2-.193.

All interested persons shall be afforded reasonable opportunity to submit data, views, or arguments orally or in writing. **Anyone interested in making a written statement may do so by submitting it to [RulesComments@GaPSC.com](mailto:RulesComments@GaPSC.com) or mail to Rules Comments, Georgia Professional Standards Commission, 200 Piedmont Avenue, SE, Suite 1716, West Tower, Atlanta, Georgia 30334-9032. It is requested that such a statement be delivered on or before May 5, 2022.** Opportunity for oral hearing shall be granted if requested by 25 persons who will be directly affected by the proposed rule, by a governmental subdivision, or by an association having not less than 25 members.

The Professional Standards Commission will consider the proposed rules during its regular meeting on May 12, 2022, currently scheduled to be held virtually and in-person at approximately 10:00 a.m. in the GaPSC Conference Room, West Tower, 17<sup>th</sup> Floor, located at 200 Piedmont Avenue, Atlanta, Georgia 30334-9032.

These rules may be viewed in their entirety on the GaPSC website at <http://www.gapsc.com/Commission/Rules/home.aspx>. Presentation of rules in this format is permissible under O.C.G.A. § 50-13-2.

This notice is issued pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 50-13-4.

**Discussion (Certification)**

**505-2-.03 PRE-SERVICE TEACHING CERTIFICATE**

It is proposed that GaPSC Rule 505-2-.03 PRE-SERVICE TEACHING CERTIFICATE, dated July 1, 2020, be AMENDED to update the application procedures for a Pre-Service certificate and adjust the title of a linked rule.

**505-2-.08 PROVISIONAL CERTIFICATE**

It is proposed that GaPSC Rule 505-2-.08 PROVISIONAL CERTIFICATE, dated January 1, 2021, be AMENDED to adjust the numbering of sections and update the title of a linked rule.

**505-2-.26 CERTIFICATION AND LICENSURE ASSESSMENTS**

It is proposed that GaPSC Rule 505-2-.26 CERTIFICATION AND LICENSURE ASSESSMENTS, dated July 1, 2020, be AMENDED to adjust the numbering of a section.

**505-2-.27 CERTIFICATION APPLICATION, MyPSC AND TEST ELIGIBILITY PROCEDURES**

It is proposed that GaPSC Rule 505-2-.27 CERTIFICATION APPLICATION, MyPSC AND TEST ELIGIBILITY PROCEDURES, dated July 1, 2021, be AMENDED to clarify the criteria for acceptable electronic transcripts.

**505-2-.193 COMPUTER SCIENCE MICRO-ENDORSEMENT**

It is proposed that GaPSC Rule 505-2-.193 COMPUTER SCIENCE MICRO-ENDORSEMENT be INITIATED to create a micro-endorsement type that will allow qualified individuals to teach specific computer science courses in grades P-12.

**Adoption of Rules**

The GaPSC will be considering the adoption of these rules at the May 12, 2022, meeting of the Commission to be held virtually and in-person at approximately 10:00 a.m. in the GaPSC Conference Room, West Tower, 17th Floor, located at 200 Piedmont Avenue, Atlanta, Georgia 30334-9032.