

**CONNECTICUT STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION  
Hartford**

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**May 13, 2020  
9:30 a.m.**

**A G E N D A**

**The Board's Four Promises to Students:**

1. Making sure students learn what they need to know to succeed in college, career, and life;
2. Giving students access to great teachers and school leaders;
3. Supporting schools and districts in staying on target with learning goals; and
4. Ensuring students' non-academic needs are met so they are healthy, happy, and ready to learn.

*Ensuring Equity and Excellence for All Connecticut  
Students: The Connecticut State Board of Education's Five-year Comprehensive  
Plan, 2016-21*

- I. Call to Order
  - o Pledge of Allegiance
- II. Public Participation\*
- III. Executive Session
- IV. Consideration of Minutes:
  - A. March 4, 2020, State Board of Education Meeting
  - B. March 16, 2020, Special State Board of Education Meeting
  - C. April 23, 2020, Special State Board of Education Meeting
- V. Report of the Commissioner
- VI. Items Requiring Action
- VII. Report of the Chair
- VIII. Financial Matters
- IX. Consent Agenda (Any item may be removed from the consent agenda at the request of a Board member)
  - A. Request for Finance Advisory Committee (FAC) Action Kathy Demsey
  - B. Request for Finance Advisory Committee (FAC) – CTECS Kathy Demsey

IX. Consent Agenda (continued)

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| C. Approval of Commissioner’s Network Extension for New Britain High School, New Britain  | Desi Nesmith<br>Lisa Lamenzo      |
| D. Approval of Commissioner’s Network Turnaround Plan: Pulaski Middle School, New Britain   | Desi Nesmith<br>Lisa Lamenzo      |
| E. Approval of Commissioner’s Network Turnaround Plan: Slade Middle School, New Britain   | Desi Nesmith<br>Lisa Lamenzo      |
| F. Approval of Commissioner’s Network Turnaround Plan: Smalley Elementary School, New Britain   | Desi Nesmith<br>Lisa Lamenzo      |
| G. Approval of Commissioner’s Network Turnaround Plan, Hartford Public High School, Hartford  | Desi Nesmith<br>Lisa Lamenzo      |
| H. Approval of New Educator Preparation Program: Relay Graduate School of Education (Relay/GSE), Master of Arts in Teaching (MAT) Program | Shuana Tucker<br>Christopher Todd |

X. Items for Discussion

XI. Committee Reports

- A. Academic Standards and Assessment
- B. Accountability and Support
- C. Finance, Audit, and Budget
- D. Legislation and Policy
- E. Connecticut Technical Education and Career System Board
- F. NASBE

Adjourn

**Committee Meeting**

The Legislation and Policy Development Committee will not meet on May 13, 2020.

**\*Public Participation**

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