CONNECTICUT STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION Hartford

January 26, 2017, Workshop on the State Plan for Educator Evaluation and Professional Development

Minutes

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Pursuant to notice filed with the Secretary of the State, the State Board of Education met on Thursday, January 26, 2017, in Plaza North Meeting Room E, 450 Columbus Boulevard, Hartford, Connecticut.

I. Call to Order

Chairperson Allan Taylor called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m. In attendance were the following State Board of Education members: Allan B. Taylor, Chairperson; Theresa Hopkins-Staten, Vice Chairperson; and Robert J. Trefry, Ex Officio.

II. Overview of Workshop Objectives

Commissioner Dianna Roberge-Wentzell welcomed Board members and provided an overview of the objectives of the workshop and background information on the Performance Evaluation Advisory Council (PEAC).

III. Presentation on the State Plan for Educator Evaluation and Professional Development

Dr. Sarah Barzee, Chief Talent Officer, and Ms. Shannon Marimon, Division Director, Bureau of Educator Effectiveness and Professional Learning, gave a PowerPoint presentation, covering the following:

- PEAC Development Timeline
- State Department of Education (SDE) Oversight of Educator Evaluation Plan Review and Approval Process
- Measures for the Student Growth and Development Component
- Measures for the Observation of Educator Performance and Practice Component
- SDE Actions to Support Implementation
- Positive Aspects of the Evaluation and Support System
- Opportunities for Further Refinement
- Next Steps

Discussion ensued.

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A copy of the PowerPoint presentation is enclosed in the official file of this meeting.

IV. Adjournment

The workshop was adjourned at 7:15 p.m.

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