OFFICE OF QUALITY PROFESSIONALS Summary of State Board of Education Items October 18-19, 2012

OFFICE OF EDUCATOR LICENSURE

- D. <u>Approval of New and Regenerated Praxis II Tests as Recommended by the Commission on Teacher and Administrator Education, Certification and Licensure and Development</u>
 - (Has cleared the Administrative Procedures Act process with no public comment)
 - A. Approval of New Praxis II Test, Passing Score and License Code for Chinese (Mandarin) as Recommended by the Commission on Teacher and Administrator Education, Certification and Licensure and Development
 - B. Approval of Regenerated Praxis II Test for School Guidance and Counseling as Recommended by the Commission on Teacher and Administrator Education, Certification and Licensure and Development

Background Information:

On July 6, 2012 the Commission on Teacher and Administrator Education, Certification and Licensure and Development approved a new Praxis II test, passing score and license code for Chinese (Mandarin) after a standard setting study by Educational Testing Service (ETS). Also, the Commission approved the recommendation of ETS to accept the regenerated Praxis II test for School Guidance and Counseling.

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material attached