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STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING — DECEMBER 2023

Meeting. The Iowa State Board of Education met on Monday, December 4, 2023, in the State Board Room at the Grimes State Office Building in Des Moines. Materials related to the meeting are available on the Department of Education's <u>website</u>.

Administrative Rule Review. On January 11, 2023, the Governor signed Executive Order No. 10 ordering State Executive Branch agencies to perform a comprehensive review of the existing Iowa Administrative Code (IAC). Agencies must review their respective portions of the IAC to rescind or rescind and readopt relevant IAC chapters. The Board approved the rescission or the rescission and readoption of 19 individual chapters as a result of the review. The Department reported that the changes to these chapters were largely nonsubstantive, brought the rules in line with statutory language, or removed duplicative language or processes. Details about these proposed changes are included on the Board's meeting agenda.

New Administrative Rules. The Board considered and approved Notice of Intended Action regarding changes to <u>281 IAC 20</u>, which concerns education savings accounts. The <u>proposed change</u> provides, by reference, a technical update to the definition of "annual income."

Next Meeting. The next Iowa State Board of Education meeting is scheduled for Thursday, January 11, 2024.

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