

**ADOPTED REGULATION OF THE COMMISSION ON
PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS IN EDUCATION**

LCB File No. R068-25

EXPLANATION – Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets ~~[omitted material]~~ is material to be omitted.

AUTHORITY: § 1, NRS 391.019.

A REGULATION relating to educational personnel; revising requirements for the voluntary surrender of an endorsement; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel’s Digest:

Existing law requires the Commission on Professional Standards in Education to adopt regulations: (1) prescribing the qualifications for licensing teachers and other educational personnel; and (2) setting forth the requirements a teacher must satisfy to qualify for an endorsement in each field of specialization. (NRS 391.019) Existing regulations provide that a person may voluntarily surrender the license or endorsement of the person by submitting a notarized statement of surrender to the Department of Education. (NAC 391.063) This regulation removes the requirement for a person to surrender an endorsement by submitting a notarized statement, and instead provides that the person may surrender an endorsement by submitting a request to the Department.

Section 1. NAC 391.063 is hereby amended to read as follows:

391.063 1. A person may voluntarily surrender ~~[his or her]~~ :

(a) *The* license ~~[or endorsement]~~ *of the person* by submitting a notarized statement of surrender to the Department ~~[]~~; *or*

(b) *The endorsement of the person by submitting a request to the Department.*

2. A person who has voluntarily surrendered his or her license or endorsement and wishes to reinstate it must reapply for the license or endorsement by following the procedures and meeting all requirements as if the person were applying for a new license or endorsement.

3. A fee will be charged for the issuance of the new license pursuant to NRS 391.040.

4. The voluntary surrender of a license or the failure to renew a license does not preclude the Board from hearing a complaint for disciplinary action made against the licensee.