

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

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

AUTHORITY: §§1 and 2, NRS 391.019.

**Section 1.** NAC 391.330 is hereby amended to read as follows:

391.330 1. To receive an endorsement as an emergency substitute teacher, a person must earn a high school diploma or its equivalent.

2. An endorsement as an emergency substitute teacher:

(a) Is valid for 3 years after the date of issuance; and

(b) Is not renewable unless, at the time the person applies for the endorsement, he has complied with the requirements of NRS 391.090.

3. ~~[A school district whose enrollment is less than 9,000 pupils may, in an emergency, hire an emergency substitute teacher to serve as a teacher in kindergarten through grade 12, as needed.]~~

~~—4.]~~ Upon the written request of a school district, ~~[whose enrollment is 9,000 pupils or more,]~~ the department may, in an emergency, authorize the school district to hire an emergency substitute teacher to serve as a teacher in kindergarten through grade 12. ~~[in a school that is located in a rural area of the school district.]~~

*4. Each school district shall submit to the department, in the manner prescribed by the department, a monthly report of its hiring and use of emergency substitute teachers.*

5. A person employed pursuant to subsection 3 ~~or 4~~ may not serve as a teacher in one classroom for more than 5 days in any 20-day period. Except in an emergency, a school district shall not allow a person solely holding an endorsement as an emergency substitute teacher to serve as a teacher.

6. An applicant for an endorsement as an emergency substitute teacher is exempt from the provisions of:

(a) NAC 391.030 in its entirety regarding the subject of Title 34 of NRS and, to the extent that it conflicts with subsection 1 of this section, regarding compliance with NRS 391.090 on the subjects of the federal and state constitutions;

(b) NAC 391.036; and

(c) NAC 391.065.

7. As used in this section, “in an emergency” means the occurrence of an unforeseen circumstance which requires immediate action, including any period during which a licensed teacher or substitute teacher is not immediately available.

**Sec. 2.** The amendatory provisions of section 1 of this regulation expire by limitation on February 2, 2003.