

**ADOPTED REGULATION OF THE  
STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**LCB File No. R006-02**

Effective April 5, 2002

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

AUTHORITY: §1, NRS 385.080 and 387.123.

**Section 1.** NAC 387.120 is hereby amended to read as follows:

387.120 1. Before ~~August 15~~ *May 1* of each year, each school district shall submit a copy of its school calendar for the approaching school year to the department. If one calendar does not apply to all its schools, the district shall submit as many calendars as are necessary for application to all its schools. If a charter school submits a school calendar pursuant to this subsection, the charter school shall, upon the request of the sponsor of the charter school or a school district in which a pupil enrolled in the charter school resides, provide a copy of the school calendar to the requester.

2. A school calendar must contain at least 180 school days in session. This period must be divided into 10 school months which contain not more than 20 potential school days per month.

3. In addition to the required number of school days in session, at least 3 days must be specifically designated by the school district as contingent days to be used as school days in session if:

(a) At least 75 percent of the schools in the district are rendered inaccessible or unusable by inclement weather, uncontrollable circumstances or an accident; or

(b) The governor declares a legal holiday not anticipated in the original school calendar.

FLUSH If a substantial majority of the schools within a school district are closed because of any of these conditions, all of the contingent days must be used before the school district applies for an emergency closing.

4. Any day for an organized teachers' conference for professional development convened by the board of trustees of a school district may be included in the number of school days in session required in subsection 2 with the prior approval of the superintendent of public instruction. A day for an organized teachers' conference may also be declared by the superintendent of public instruction. Not more than 5 days for teachers' conferences may be convened by a school district in any school year.

**NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF PROPOSED REGULATION  
LCB File No. R006-02**

The Nevada State Board of Education adopted regulations assigned LCB File No. R006-02 pertaining to chapter 387 of the Nevada Administrative Code on March 2, 2002. A copy of the regulations as adopted is attached hereto.

<b>Notice date:</b> Workshop 2/11/2002 Hearing 1/31/2002	<b>Date of adoption by agency:</b> 3/2/2002
<b>Workshop/Hearing date:</b> 3/2/2002	<b>Filing date:</b> 4/5/2002

**INFORMATIONAL STATEMENT**

**The following statement is submitted for adopted amendments to Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 387:**

- 1. A description of how public comment was solicited, a summary of public response, and explanation how other interested persons may obtain a copy of the summary.**

The Notice of Workshop to Solicit Comments on Proposed Regulations was sent to approximately one-hundred fifty individuals and educational organizations. The workshop was conducted by the Nevada State Board of Education on March 2, 2002. No comments were received.

The Notice of Intent to Act Upon a Regulation for public hearing for Board adoption of the proposed revisions to NAC 387, Submission of School Calendar, was sent to approximately one-hundred fifty individuals and educational organizations. A one-time only public hearing was conducted by the Nevada State Board of Education on March 2, 2002, to provide the opportunity for comments by affected parties and the public. There were no comments from the public. The Board adopted the permanent language without revision.

- 2. The Number of Persons Who:**

**a) Attended Each Hearing:**            Workshop:    7            Hearing:        10

**b) Testified at Each Hearing;**        Workshop:    0            Hearing:        0

**and,**

**c) Submitted Written Statements:** Workshop:    0            Hearing:        0

No written comments were submitted.

**3. A description of how comment was solicited from affected businesses, a summary of the response and an explanation how other interested parties may obtain a copy of the summary.**

Comment was solicited through the workshop notice of February 11, 2002. No comments were made by members of the public at the workshop held March 2, 2002.

Comment was solicited through the public hearing notice of January 31, 2002. No comments were made by members of the public at the March 2, 2002, public hearing.

A copy of the summary and/or minutes of the public hearing may be obtained by calling LaDonna Byrd, Board Secretary, at the Department of Education (775) 687-9225, or by writing to the Department of Education at 700 East Fifth Street, Carson City, Nevada 89701-5096.

**4. If the regulation was adopted with or without change to any part of the proposed regulation, a summary of the reasons for adopting.**

The permanent regulation language in LCB File R006-02 was adopted by the Nevada State Board of Education at the public hearing held March 2, 2002, without revision to the proposed language.

**5. The estimated economic effect of the adopted regulation on the business which it is to regulate and on the public.**

There is no economic effect on the business which is regulated as school districts prepare their school calendars prior to May 1st for the upcoming school year. There is no estimated economic effect on the public, either adversely or beneficially, nor immediate or long term.

**6. The estimated cost to the agency for enforcement of the adopted regulation.**

There is no additional cost to the agency for enforcement of this regulation

**7. A description of any regulations of other state or government agencies which the proposed regulation overlaps or duplicates and a statement explaining why the duplication or overlapping is necessary. If the regulation overlaps or duplicates a federal regulation, the name of the regulating federal agency.**

No other state or government agency regulations will be overlapped or duplicated by the above noted regulations. There is no duplication or overlap of federal regulations.

**8. If the regulation includes provisions which are more stringent than a federal regulation which regulates the same activity, a summary of such provisions.**

There are none

- 9. If the regulation provides a new fee or increases an existing fee, the total annual amount the agency expects to collect and the manner in which the money will be used.**

This regulation does not provide or involve a new fee.