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## SMALL BUSINESS IMPACT STATEMENT PURSUANT TO NRS 233B.0608

Date: June 4, 2014

Re: Proposed Adoption of Regulations to Prescribe Academic Content Standards for High School

Mathematics

I, Dale A.R. Erquiaga, being the duly appointed Superintendent of Public Instruction, do hereby certify that, to the best of my knowledge or belief:

- 1. The proposed changes to regulations to prescribe academic content standards for high school mathematics are <u>not</u> likely to (a) impose a direct or significant economic burden upon a small business, or (b) directly restrict the formation, operation or expansion of a small business. The proposed regulations deal only with students and educators at the high school level.
- 2. A concerted effort was made to determine any economic burden. The Department of Education has relied on the expert knowledge of Department staff; the impact is solely on determining what a student should know and be able to do in mathematics courses.
- 3. All relevant materials were reviewed and the Department considered its history with implementing similar regulations; the proposed changes are within the historic scope of the Department's activities and present no new cost of enforcement.
- 4. Comment has not been solicited from small businesses, and no summary of their response is provided, because small businesses are not impacted by this regulation and thus no burden or economic impact can be assessed.

I hereby further certify that, to the best of my knowledge or belief, a concerted effort was made to determine the impact of the regulation on small businesses and that the information contained in this statement was prepared properly and is accurate.

Respectfully submitted,

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