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TO: Superintendents of Schools
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Directors of Regional Educational Service Centers
Directors of Public Charter Schools
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Deans and Directors of Educator Preparation Institutions

FROM: George A. Coleman, Acting Commissioner of Education

DATE: January 12, 2011

SUBJECT: Adoption of the Proposed Certification Regulations

On December 1, 2010, the State Board of Education adopted new certification regulations. This would not have been possible without the wide-ranging participation of hundreds of educators across the state over the last seven years.

For your information, the proposed regulations are posted to the Connecticut State Department of Education website at:

<http://www.ct.gov/sde/proposedregs>

In the next two weeks, we will be transmitting the regulations to the attorney general's office and subsequently to the Legislative Regulations Review Committee.

Once the regulations are approved by the Legislative Regulations Review Committee, the Department will begin to schedule meetings for district personnel and educator preparation institutions to discuss the implementation of the new regulations and implications for educator preparation.

If you have questions about the new regulations, please contact:

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Thank you and best wishes for the new year.

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