

MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AGENDA ITEM: December 2016

CONSIDERATION OF A NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING TO ADOPT RULE
5 CSR 20-100.280, CHARTER SCHOOL EXPEDITED
RENEWAL APPLICATION PROCESS

STATUTORY AUTHORITY:

Sections 161.092 and 160.405, RSMo

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DEPARTMENT GOAL NO. 1:

All Missouri students will graduate college and career ready.

SUMMARY:

The proposed rule establishes the method for expediting the renewal process for a charter school that has an annual performance report consistent with a classification of accredited for three of the last four years. The expedited renewal process serves to meet the allowance of such as stated in Section 160.405(9)(2)(d), RSMo.

PRESENTER:

Chris Neale, Assistant Commissioner, Office of Quality Schools, will assist with the presentation and discussion of this agenda item.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Department recommends that the State Board of Education authorize publication in the *Missouri Register* of a notice of rulemaking to adopt Rule 5 CSR 20-100.280 relating to charter school expedited renewal application process, and that the State Board finds this rule necessary to carry out the purposes of Sections 161.092, RSMo Supp. 2014 and 160.405, RSMo.

Title 5 – DEPARTMENT OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION
Division 20 – Division of Learning Services
Chapter 100 – Office of Quality Schools

PROPOSED RULE

5 CSR 20-100.280 Charter School Expedited Renewal Application Process

PURPOSE: This rule establishes the method for expediting the renewal process for a charter school that has an annual performance report (APR) consistent with a classification of accredited for three (3) of the last four (4) years. The expedited renewal process serves to meet the allowance of such as stated in section 160.405(9)(2)(d), RSMo.

(1) The sponsor of a charter school that meets the qualifications for expedited renewal will submit the form *Charter School Expedited Renewal Application*, provided by the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (department), to the charter school section, addressing:

- (A) Cover sheet with the current school name, address, superintendent/head administrator, and names of building(s) and principal(s), if applicable;
- (B) Articles of Incorporation;
- (C) Current, signed performance contract bearing charter school and sponsor signatures, pursuant to section 160.405.1, RSMo;
- (D) Current list of charter school board members;
- (E) Complete, projected five (5)-year budget including projected reserves; and
- (F) Projected enrollment by grade levels.

AUTHORITY: section 161.092, RSMo Supp. 2014 and section 160.405, RSMo Supp. 2016.

PUBLIC COST: This proposed rule will not cost state agencies or political subdivisions more than five hundred dollars (\$500) in the aggregate.

PRIVATE COST: This proposed rule will not cost private entities more than five hundred dollars (\$500) in the aggregate.

*NOTICE TO SUBMIT COMMENTS: Anyone may file a statement in support of or in opposition to this proposed rule with the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education, ATTN: Educational Support Services, Office of Quality Schools, PO Box 480, Jefferson City, MO 65102-0480, or by email to webreplyimprcharter@dese.mo.gov. To be considered, comments must be received within thirty (30) days after publication of this notice in the **Missouri Register**. No public hearing is scheduled.*