



Summary of Proposed Changes to GaPSC Certification Rules

April 13, 2023, Initiation

Public Comment Period: April 24, 2023 – May 23, 2023

At its April 13, 2023, meeting, the Georgia Professional Standards Commission (GaPSC) initiated the rulemaking process for the Certification rules listed below. A summary of proposed rule amendments is provided below and the proposed rules are available at:

<http://www.gapsc.com/Commission/Rules/home.aspx>.

The public comment period for these rules is open from **April 24, 2023, through May 23, 2023**. Written comments related to these rules must be addressed to GaPSC Executive Secretary, Mr. Matt Arthur, and may be submitted via e-mail (RulesComments@GaPSC.com) or via regular mail (200 Piedmont Avenue, Suite 1716, Atlanta, Georgia 30334-9032). Commissioners will consider formal adoption of proposed rule amendments during their regular meeting on June 8, 2023. If you have questions about these proposed rules, please contact the Certification Division at mail@gapsc.com.

Proposed Certification Rule Changes		
Rule #	Rule Name	Summary of Proposed Rules Action
505-2-.141 505-2-.142 505-2-.149	CURRICULUM AN INSTRUCTION INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY TEACHER LEADERSHIP	It is proposed GaPSC Rules 505-2-.141, 505-2-.142, and 505-2-.149 be repealed and new rules with the same names and numbers be initiated to simplify the in-field statements and clarify that these certificate fields are to strengthen and enhance competency, rather than qualify the holder for any teaching, service, or leadership position.