

KENTUCKY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

STAFF NOTE

Waiver:

16 KAR 4:090. Request to Waive Reissuance Requirements for Professional Certificate for Madelyn Blue

Action Question:

Should the Education Professional Standards Board (EPSB) approve Madelyn Blue's request to waive the reissuance requirements for a professional certificate?

Applicable Statute or Regulation:

KRS 161.028, 16 KAR 4:090

History/Background:

Existing Policy: 16 KAR 4:090 requires the completion of six (6) semester hours of graduate credit to qualify for reissuance of a lapsed certificate.

Summary: Madelyn Blue has submitted this waiver to request reissuance of her professional certificate for elementary education which expired in 2020. In lieu of the six (6) graduate hours, Ms. Blue notes that she has been teaching in a private school for nineteen (19) years. In 2023, she took a fifty (50) hour class, The Science of Reading/Orton Gillingham course. Ms. Blue is requesting that the EPSB waive the required coursework and reissue her professional certificate for elementary education.

Budget Impact: There is no budgetary impact.

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