

# KBE Hearing Officer Report and Regulation Update

## December 2025

### REGULATIONS IN PROCESS

#### **Regulations reviewed by IJCE at its October 14 meeting and became effective at the conclusion of the meeting:**

702 KAR 7:065. Designation of agent to manage middle and high school interscholastic athletics

704 KAR 4:010. Physical education

704 KAR 8:030. Required Academic Standards for Health

704 KAR 8:050. Required Academic Standards for Physical Education

704 KAR 8:080. Required academic standards in career studies and financial literacy

*Reviewed by ARRS at its September 9 meeting*

#### **Regulation reviewed by EAARS at its November 4 meeting:**

703 KAR 5:280. School improvement procedures

*Filed with LRC 8/13/25*

*Public Hearing Date: 10/23/25; comment period ends 10/31/25*

*Tentative effect date: 3/3/26*

#### **Regulations reviewed by ARRS at its November 10 meeting:**

701 KAR 5:170E. Waiver Requests

*Filed with LRC 8/13/25*

*Public Hearing Date: 9/24/25; comment period ends 9/30/25*

*Comments recd - Statement of Consideration filed 10/15/25*

*This emergency administrative regulation shall expire 270 days after the date of filing or when the same matter filed as an ordinary administrative regulation filed for review is adopted, whichever occurs first.*

704 KAR 3:440. Primary school program guidelines

*Filed with LRC 8/13/25*

*Public Hearing Date: 10/23/25; comment period ends 10/31/25*

*Tentative effect date: 3/3/26*

#### **Regulation scheduled for Informational Review by ARRS at its December 8 meeting:**

702 KAR 3:030. Insurance Requirements

*The legislature passed a bill during the 2025 (SB 23) session that allows the committee to call up any regulation they wish at any time for informational review.*

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### Regulations tentatively scheduled for review by ARRS at its January 2026 meeting:

701 KAR 5:150. Nontraditional instruction program

704 KAR 3:406. Superintendent training program and assessment process

704 KAR 3:410. Preschool education program for four (4) year old children – comments recd

704 KAR 8:020. Required academic standards for reading and writing

*Filed with LRC 10/7/25*

*Public Hearing Date: 12/23/25; comment period ends 12/31/25*

*Tentative effect date: 5/5/26*

702 KAR 5:130. Non-school bus passenger vehicles - deferred from Sept/Oct/Nov/Dec ARRS

*Filed with LRC 6/11/25*

*Public Hearing Date: 8/27/25; comment period ends 8/31/25*

*Comments recd – one-month extension request filed 9/4/25*

*Statement of Consideration filed 10/15/25*

701 KAR 5:170. Waiver Requests. (Filed with Emergency; “E” expires 5/10/26)

*Filed with LRC 8/13/25*

*Public Hearing Date: 10/23/25; comment period ends 10/31/25*

*Comments recd – Statement of Consideration extension requested - due 12/15/25*

*Tentative effect date: 3/3/26*

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### **NEWLY EFFECTIVE REGULATIONS**

#### **October 14, 2025**

702 KAR 7:065. Designation of agent to manage middle and high school interscholastic athletics  
704 KAR 4:010. Physical education  
704 KAR 8:030. Required Academic Standards for Health  
704 KAR 8:050. Required Academic Standards for Physical Education  
704 KAR 8:080. Required academic standards in career studies and financial literacy

#### **August 13, 2025**

701 KAR 5:170E. Waiver Requests

#### **July 14, 2025**

701 KAR 5:055. Removal hearing procedures

#### **June 3, 2025**

704 KAR 3:315. Certification of Nonpublic Schools

#### **March 12, 2025**

704 KAR 3:535. Full-time enrolled online, virtual and remote learning programs

#### **March 5, 2025**

704 KAR 3:365. Complaint procedures for programs under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965

#### **December 10, 2024**

702 KAR 1:116. Annual in-service training of district board members  
702 KAR 4:090. Property disposal  
703 KAR 5:080. Administration Code for Kentucky's Educational Assessment Program  
703 KAR 5:240. Accountability Administrative Procedures and Guidelines  
704 KAR 3:305. Minimum requirements for high school graduation  
780 KAR 3:072. Attendance, compensatory time and leave for certified and equivalent service  
780 KAR 3:080. Extent and duration of school term, use of school days and extended employment

#### **October 15, 2024**

702 KAR 3:320. Finance officer certification requirements  
704 KAR 3:313. Repeal of 704 KAR 3:303. Required academic standards  
704 KAR 8:130. Required Kentucky Academic Standards for Visual and Performing Arts

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### REGULATIONS NEARING EXPIRATION (NEXT 12 MONTHS)

704 KAR 8:010	Kentucky Academic Standards for Computer Science Elective	2/1/2026
701 KAR 5:170E	Waiver Requests	5/10/2026
702 KAR 1:160	School health services	5/31/2026
702 KAR 3:100	Data report, professional staff	6/28/2026
702 KAR 3:110	Document filing dates	6/28/2026
702 KAR 3:120	Uniform school financial accounting system	6/28/2026
702 KAR 3:220	Guidelines for waiver of school fees	6/28/2026
702 KAR 5:030	Pupil transportation	6/28/2026
702 KAR 5:110	Vocational pupils, reimbursement for	6/28/2026
702 KAR 6:110	Claim reimbursement for school and community nutrition	6/28/2026
705 KAR 2:140	Equalization of funding for locally-operated area vocational centers	6/28/2026
707 KAR 1:310	Determination of eligibility	6/28/2026
780 KAR 2:140	Tuition and fees	6/28/2026
780 KAR 3:050	Employment lists	6/28/2026
780 KAR 3:140	Certification and professional development requirements	6/28/2026
780 KAR 7:010	Definitions for 780 KAR Chapter 7	6/28/2026
701 KAR 5:090	Teacher disciplinary hearings	11/1/2026
702 KAR 3:130	Internal accounting	11/1/2026
704 KAR 7:160	Use of physical restraint and seclusion in public schools	12/9/2026

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