

Vermont State Board of Education Manual of Rules and Practices

7000 RELATIONSHIP WITH PUBLIC, OTHER AGENCIES AND INSTITUTIONS

7100 INTERSTATE AGREEMENTS

~~7110 Personnel Qualifications Interstate Agreement on Qualification of Educational Personnel 16 VSA § 2041-2062. (See also Series 5000 of this manual, titled School Personnel.)~~

~~7120 Vermont – New Hampshire Interstate Compact 16 VSA § 771-784.~~

~~7130 Vermont – New York Interstate Compact 16 VSA Chapter 16.~~

7200 RELATIONSHIP WITH OTHER VERMONT STATE AGENCIES

~~7210 Department of Motor Vehicles, statutes related to school buses and drivers: 23 VSA § 1242.~~

~~7220 The Departments of Highways, Public Safety, Labor And Industry, and Health have regulations pertaining to public schools. Some discussion of these appears in the Vermont Department of Education booklet, Planning Educational Environments (see 6104 above). The complete regulations may be obtained from the respective agencies. The Agency of Environmental Conservation enforces Health Department regulations and the Department of Labor and Industry enforces safety regulations.~~

~~7230 University of Vermont, Educational Television 16 VSA § 2801-2805.~~

~~7240 Vermont State Colleges – Nursing Education 16 VSA § 2635.~~

~~7250 State Board of Nursing – Practical Nursing Education 16 VSA § 2651-2654.~~

~~7260 Education Building Finance Agency 16 VSA § 3851-3862.~~

~~7270 The Higher Education Planning Commission is established by executive order of the governor to plan and coordinate higher education in the state. The commissioner of education serves on the commission.~~

~~7280 Advisory Councils See the index of this manual for references to specific advisory councils.~~

7300 RELATIONSHIP WITH OTHER EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS AND AGENCIES

~~7310 Post-Secondary Educational Institutions~~

~~7311 Approval: 16 VSA § 174. See also 2240 of this manual.~~

~~7312 Records: 16 VSA § 175. See al. 244 of this manual.~~

~~7320 Recognized Accrediting Agencies~~

Certain ~~regional~~ institutional agencies have been recognized by the State Board of Education for accrediting purposes:

- New England Association of Schools and Colleges, Burlington, Massachusetts.

- Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools/Commission on Higher Education, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
- Northwest Association of Schools and Colleges, Seattle, Washington.
- Southern Association of Colleges and Schools - Commission on Colleges, Atlanta, Georgia.
- Western Association of Schools and Colleges - Accrediting Commission for Senior Colleges, Oakland, California.
- North Central Association of Colleges and Schools, Chicago, Illinois.
- Office of Overseas Schools, Department of State, Washington, D.C.
- Department of Education, Northern New England Conference of Seventh-Day Adventists, Portland, Maine.
- Diocesan School Board, Burlington, Vermont.
- ~~National Association of Trade and Technical Schools, Washington, D.C. (for non-degree granting purposes only)~~ Accrediting Commission of Career Schools and Colleges (ACCSC), Arlington, VA.

7330 Private Schools Designated as Public Schools 16 VSA § 827.

7400 Effective Dates and Expiration of Rules

Unless otherwise amended by statute or rule:

- 1) This Rule 7400:
 - A. Shall take effect 15 days after adoption of the amendments to this rule series is complete.
 - B. Shall expire and be of no force and effect on July 1, 2024.
- 2) The following rules shall expire and be of no force and effect 15 days after adoption of the amendments to this rule series is complete:
 - A. Rule 7100 Interstate Agreements (including Rules 7110 – 7130).
 - B. Rule 7200 Relationship with Other Vermont State Agencies (including Rules 7210 – 7280).
 - C. Rule 7310 Post-Secondary Educational Institutions (including Rules 7311 and 7312).
 - D. Rule 7330 Private Schools Designated as Public Schools.
- 3) The following rules shall expire and be of no force and effect on July 1, 2024:
 - A. Rule 7300 Relationship with Other Educational Institutions and Agencies.
 - B. Rule 7320 Recognized Accrediting Agencies.
- 4) Effective July 1, 2024, Rule 7000 shall read:
7000 RELATIONSHIP WITH PUBLIC, OTHER AGENCIES AND INSTITUTIONS [repealed]