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MEMORANDUM

TO: Interested Parties

FROM: John L. Winn

DATE: May 15, 2003

SUBJECT: Rule Amendments Pertaining to Certification Examinations for Florida Educators

The Florida Department of Education is pleased to announce that the revised text of rules pertaining to the Florida Educational Leadership Examination and the Florida Teacher Certification Examinations will be published in the May 16 *Florida Administrative Weekly*. The revised text of the rule amendments can be viewed at the following web site: <http://faw.dos.state.fl.us/fawframes.html>.

The proposed rule amendments, which will be considered by the State Board of Education at the June 17, 2003, meeting, contain the following recommendations:

- transitional passing scores for two new certification examinations: Middle Grades Integrated Curriculum 5-9 and Physical Education K-12
- a transitional passing score for the revised Professional Education Test
- a testing fee for the General Knowledge Test
- a revised registration application

If you have questions or comments about the proposed revisions, please contact Kathy Fearon at 850-488-8198.

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