

**New Business Item 15-18**

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**TITLE: 2015-2016 Goals for the Executive Director**

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The Hawaii Teacher Standards Board approves the following goals for the Executive Director for the year ending June 30, 2016:

1. Convene a workgroup, composed of interested stakeholders, to develop a plan for an alternative route to licensure in shortage areas which allows Emergency Hire teachers to meet the competencies and requirements for licensure and which provides a route for Educational Assistants to simultaneously complete a bachelor's degree and preparation program;
2. Develop a plan for partnering with other Council for Accreditation of Educator Preparation (CAEP) and National Association of State Directors of Teacher Education and Certification (NASDTEC) member states to provide for participation by out of state reviewers on virtual reviews of units and programs seeking initial state approval of licensure programs;
3. In collaboration with the Licensing Specialists update the Customer Service/Communication Plan and deliver training deemed necessary for Licensing Section staff.

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**Referred to:**