TITLE: Clarification of Requirements for the Teacher Leader License Field

The Hawaii Teacher Standards Board approves the following regarding criteria for meeting job embedded experiences for the Teacher Leader license field:

Hawaii Department of Education or Charter School experience verified by a school administrator for any of the following experiences:

- curriculum or content specialist/coach;
- state office or complex area instructional or data coach;
- mentor teacher;
- department/grade level chair;
- service on school-wide, district or national level that develops leadership skills and benefits students, school community or the profession, eg., accreditation team, school turnaround team, instructional leadership team, etc. Service as a union faculty representative alone does not qualify an individual for the Teacher Leader license field.

The Board also directs the Executive Director to convene a panel to review the Educational Testing Service (ETS) Teacher Leader Assessment to determine its suitability for use in qualifying for the Teacher Leader field, and, if found suitable, to recommend a passing score to the Board for adoption. The panel shall include representatives from:

- Hawaii Department of Education, recommended by the Superintendent;
- Hawaii Charter Schools, recommended by the Charter School Commission Office;
- Hawaii Educator Preparation Providers;
- Hawaii State Teachers Association.

The meeting may be convened using an online platform.

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Referred to: Teacher Standards Committee