

New Business Item 19-34

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TITLE: Consideration of Hawaii Pacific University's Letter of Intent to Plan a New Program in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL) and Early Childhood Education

The Hawaii Teacher Standards Board accepts the Letters of Intent from Hawaii Pacific University Preparation Program to plan new programs in TESOL K-6 and 6-12 and Early Childhood Education PK-3.

The program's plans will address initial licensure for the following license fields:

- TESOL K-6, 6-12
- Early Childhood Education PK-K, PK-3

The HTSB Executive Director will work with HPU to complete the reviews within two years of acceptance of the Letter of Intent.

The program may not advertise these programs as Hawaii licensure programs until such time that Provisional Approval is granted by the HTSB.

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Referred to: Teacher Education Committee