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Mark Huntsman, Chair, Utah State Board of Education Sydnee Dickson, State Superintendent of Public Instruction Angela Stallings, Deputy Superintendent of Policy 250 East 500 South Salt Lake City, UT 84111

Transmitted via email only

RE: Request for public hearing on proposed rule R277-301

Dear Chair Huntsman, Superintendent Dickson and Deputy Superintendent Stallings:

I write on behalf of Heidi Matthews, President and the Utah Education Association. This is a request for a public hearing before the Utah State Board of Education pursuant to Utah Code 63G-3-302(2)(b). More specifically, this request is made on behalf of the Utah Education Association, an interested association having not fewer than 10 members. This request is made not more than 15 days after the publication date of the proposed rule. The rule for which we request this hearing is as follows:

R277-301 Educator Licensing

Please share this request with all Utah State Board of Education members. Please respond with proper notice for when a hearing will be conducted. Thank you for your consideration and attention to this request.

Sincerely,

Dr. Sara Jones Director, Education Excellence and Government Relations Utah Education Association

cc: Heidi Matthews, Utah Education Association Tracey Watson, Utah Education Association