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State Board Seeks Comment on Proposed Repeal

JUNEAU – The State Board of Education & Early Development, meeting by audio-conference on Jan. 25, has sent out for public comment a proposed repeal of a requirement that school districts pilot methods this school year of incorporating data about student achievement in educator evaluations.

Under the new national education law, the Every Student Succeeds Act, the federal government will no longer require school districts to incorporate data about student achievement in educator evaluations. At a future time, the State Board will consider whether to continue requiring the use of such data in educator evaluations.

The public may review the proposed repeal and submit a written comment at <https://education.alaska.gov/regsg/comment.cfm>. The deadline for written comments is 4:30 p.m. Feb. 26.

