CERTIFICATE



STATE OF WISCONSIN Board of Vocational, Technical and) SS Adult Education

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

I, Robert P. Sorensen, Director of the Wisconsin Board of Vocational, Technical and Adult Education and custodian of the official records of said board do hereby certify that the annexed rules relating to Certification of Personnel, were duly approved and adopted by this board on September 30, 1980.

I further certify that said copy has been compared by me with the original on file in this board and that the same is a true copy thereof, and of the whole of such original.

> IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the agency at Hill Farms State Office Building in the city of Madison, this 17 day of December, 1980.

Robert P. Sorensen, Ph.D

State Director



ORDER OF THE WISCONSIN BOARD OF VOCATIONAL, TECHNICAL AND ADULT EDUCATION ADOPTING RULES



Relating to rules concerning Certification of Personnel.

Analysis prepared by the Wisconsin Board of Vocational, Technical and Adult Education.

The rules are needed to ensure quality education through qualified staff. This Code sets forth minimum occupational, academic and teaching experiences for professional employees in teaching, supervisory, administrative and other defined roles at the district level. The rules delineate the types of certification and requirements for each certification. Renewal of certification requirements is stated.

Procedures for certification include the transmitting of a certification request and supportive documents by the district director or appointed representative. Certification is based upon assignment by the VTAE district, and certification will be requested in accordance with the individual's assignment. In addition, individuals may request certification in areas beyond assignment.

The general provisions include identifying equivalencies for occupational experience and the baccalaureate degree.

Districts or individuals who are certified under the Code may appeal a decision of the state staff. All appeals of Certification issues shall be conducted in accord with the provisions of Chapter 227, Stats., and Chapter A-V 4, Wisconsin Administrative Code.

Pursuant to authority vested in the Wisconsin Board of Vocational, Technical and Adult Education by sections 38.04 (1) and (4), 227.014 and 227.027, Stats., the Wisconsin Board of Vocational, Technical and Adult Education hereby repeals, amends and adopts rules governing the certification of educational personnel.

CHAPTER A-V 3

Chapter A-V 3 (title) (contents) is amended as follows:

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2	2 REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTIFICATION			
3		CERTIFICATION OF	PERSONNEL	:
4		REQUIREMENTS AND	PROCEDURE	<u> </u>
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7 .	A-V 3.001 Definit	ions	A-V 3.05	Counselors
8	A-V 3.01 General		A-V 3.06	Librarians
9	A-V 3.01 Introduc	ction; purpose	A-V-3.07	-Instructional media
10	A-V 3.02 Instruct	ional staff		specialists and audio
11	A-V 3.03 Supervis	ors-coordinators		visual specialists
12	A-V 3.04 Administ	rators	A-V 3.07	Instructional media,
13	•			audio-visual and
14		•		curriculum specialists

- A-V 3.001 is created to read:
- 2 A-V 3.001 Definitions (1) "State Board" as used herein means
- 3 the state board of vocational, technical and adult education.
- 4 (2) "District" as used herein means a vocational, technical
- 5 and adult education district.
- 6 (3) "Code" as used herein means the Wisconsin Administrative
- 7 Code, Chapter A-V 3.
- 8 (4) "Recognized educational system" means a public or pri-
- 9 vate educational system which is accredited or approved by public
- 10 or private accrediting bodies, or by the United States Office of
- 11 Education.
- 12 A-V 3.01 (1) is repealed and recreated to read:
- 13 A-V 3.01 Introduction; purpose. Certification is the
- 14 affirmative outcome of a process by which the state board, through
- 15 its staff, evaluates in terms of occupational, academic, and
- 16 teaching experience the preparedness of professional employees
- 17 to assume and continue in teaching, administrative, supervisory
- 18 and other defined roles at the district level. The initial
- 19 certification process is initiated after the assignment of an
- 20 employee. The purpose of this chapter is to set forth minimum
- 21 occupational, academic, and teaching experiences for education
- 22 personnel employed by the districts in the positions designated
- 23 by this chapter. The certification process shall be in harmony
- 24 with affirmative action and equal employment opportunity
- 25 commitments subscribed to by the state board and districts.
- 26 (1) General provisions. The application of this code is

- 1 authorized by s. 38.04 (4), Stats.
- 2 (a) The provisions of this chapter apply to all administrators.
- 3 supervisors, and coordinators, instructional staff, counselors,
- 4 librarians, instructional media, audio-visual and curriculum
- 5 specialists identified in this chapter and employed by district
- 6 boards.
- 7 (b) State institutions which offer vocational instruction
- 8 may request certification.
- 9 (c) Certification is limited to the specific instructional
- 10 and related positions described herein.
- 11 (d) Requirements herein apply to all educational personnel
- 12 certified after the effective date of this chapter.
- 13 (e) Persons certified prior to the effective date of this chapter
- 14 have the option to seek recertification status for the same position
- 15 or instructional area under regulations governing their most recent
- 16 certification or under the regulations of this code except in the
- 17 instance of the life certificate. A-V 3.01 (3) (f) prohibits the
- 18 issuance of new life certificates after the effective date of this
- 19 chapter. Persons changing position or instructional area assignment
- 20 after the effective date of this chapter shall comply with additional
- 21 requirements for the new field in effect as of the effective date of
- 22 this chapter.
- 23 (f) Certifications, licensures or other approvals by
- 24 accredited or recognized organizations may be considered by the
- 25 state board staff in evaluating the certification status of any
- 26 personnel affected by these other organizations in the pursuit of

- 1 a certifiable assignment in the VTAE system as teacher, administrator,
- 2 supervisor-coordinator, counselor, librarian, instructional media,
- 3 audio-visual or curriculum specialists. The state board may permit
- 4 some equivalencies to be granted applicants who are subject to
- 5 these other groups as well as to the state board. Equivalencies
- 6 may be granted after an evaluation by the state board staff of the
- 7 requirements of other recognized organizations to assure relevance
- 8 of such requirements to the certification status of an applicant.
- 9 A-V 3.01 (2) is repealed and recreated to read:
- 10 (2) Procedure:
- 11 (a) For new employees, the certification process shall be
- 12 initiated by the district director after assignment of affected
- 13 employees. The employees shall be parties to requests to the
- 14 state board for certification by providing documentary proof as
- 15 to their occupational, academic and teaching experiences.
- (b) After initial certification pursuant to par. (a),
- 17 individuals may request certification in additional areas. Such
- 18 requests shall be submitted to the state board by the district
- 19 certification officer together with proper documents and individual
- 20 paid fee. The fee shall be equivalent to the normal fee charged to the
- 21 district by the state board for initial certification.
- (c) Renewal of the individually requested certificate
- 23 described in par. (b) shall be granted, based upon evidence
- 24 of continued occupational competency as demonstrated by
- 25 occupational experience or current occupational coursework. In
- 26 academic areas, renewal shall be based upon continued professional

- 1 coursework in the area of certification, or occupational experience.
- 2 Requirements detailed in A-V 3.02 (4) (d) shall apply for the
- 3 renewal of the 5-year certificate.
- 4 (d) Certification of individuals employed for first-time
- 5 appointments shall be considered on a priority basis by both the
- 6 district and the state board. Certification request for such
- 7 personnel shall be submitted to the state board staff by the
- 8 employing district or institution as soon as possible within the
- 9 first six months after the new employee is hired.
- 10 (e) Requests for certification, including documentation for
- 11 renewal, shall be processed on as timely a basis as possible
- 12 during the school year by the district and the state board staff.
- 13 (f) The applicant for certification shall submit to the
- 14 district director, or appointed representative of such administrator,
- 15 all necessary documents required for certification. The
- 16 documentation shall include an approved application form for
- 17 certification, official transcripts of undergraduate or graduate
- 18 credits as applicable to the category of certification requested,
- 19 official copies, or true copies attested to by the district director
- 20 or the director's designee, of any professional or occupational
- 21 licenses where applicable, and written vertification from the
- 22 employer of all appropriate and required occupational experience.
- 23 (g) Occupational experience shall be of such recency and
- 24 relevancy as to add to the preparedness of the applicant for
- 25 certification. Such experience shall represent current practices
- 26 in the occupational area of certification.

- 1 (h) The district director, or appointed representative,
- 2 shall be responsible for receiving all supportive documents related
- 3 to certification including official transcripts, official copies
- 4 of occupational licenses and written vertification from employers
- 5 of all appropriate and required occupational experience and shall
- 6 submit to the state board all required certification documents.
- 7 (i) The state board staff shall evaluate all materials
- 8 submitted and, on behalf of the state board, shall issue appropriate
- 9 certificates through the employing agency to eligible employees.
- 10 (j) Certification shall not be affected by future changes in
- 11 progam or course numbering. If programs or course numbers are
- 12 changed, certification for like content shall transfer to the new
- 13 numbered area.
- 14 A-V 3.01 (3) is repealed and recreated to read:
- 15 (3) Certification status.
- 16 (a) Five-year certificates are granted to personnel meeting
- 17 requirements who are employed full-time (50% or more as determined
- 18 by each district) in state-designated programs of a district.
- 19 (b) Provisional certificates are granted to personnel
- 20 meeting requirements who are employed full-time (50% or more) in
- 21 state-designated programs of a district and have not met the
- 22 requirements for the 5-year certificate.
- 23 (c) Approval status is granted on a biennial basis to personnel
- 24 meeting established requirements who are employed in state-
- 25 designated programs on a part-time basis (less than 50% employment)
- 26 as determined by each district) or on a limited term basis for new

- 1 or unique programs for the disadvantaged, handicapped, for driver
- 2 education or for targeted special projects. To be eligible for
- 3 continued approval status the applicant must complete at least one
- 4 of the courses listed in the educational requirements for the 5-year
- 5 certificate each 2 years until their completion or 2 months of
- 6 appropriate occupational experience or other professional activity
- 7 delineated by the district in a plan of such activities. The
- 8 district plan of activities for professional growth may include
- 9 workshops or conferences of specific relevance to the staff
- 10 member's responsibilities, continuing education units (CEUs) and
- 11 attendance in a district's associate degree or vocational diploma
- 12 program areas. The district plan shall be approved, prior to its
- 13 implementation, by both the local board and the state director.
- 14 (d) Approval status, provisional certificates or 5-year
- 15 certificates may be granted to applicants, meeting established
- 16 requirements, in their second and additional instructional areas.
- (e) Emergency approval status may be granted personnel who are
- 18 employed by a district because of unusual circumstances. The
- 19 districts's emergency approval request to the state board shall
- 20 include a full description of the unusual circumstances upon which
- 21 the emergency request is based. Emergency approval status shall
- 22 not remain in force beyond a maximum period of 12 consecutive
- 23 months.
- 24 (f) No life certificate shall be issued after the effective
- 25 date of this chapter. Additional time, according to the provisions
- 26 of 1-5, below, shall be granted personnel holding the 5-year certificate

- 1 to complete a renewal of that certificate if they would have qualified
- 2 for a life certificate under the provisions of the previous code.
- 3 l. Personnel holding the 5-year certificate who under
- 4 provisions of the previous code, would have qualified for a life
- 5 certificate after the effective date of this chapter and prior to
- 6 September 1, 1981, shall be granted 5 additional years from the date th
- 7 person would have become eligible for a life certificate to complete the
- 8 requirements for the renewal of their current 5-year certificate.
- 9 2. Personnel holding the 5-year certificate who under
- 10 provisions of the previous code, would have qualified for a life
- 11 certificate after August 31, 1981, and prior to September 1, 1982,
- 12 shall be granted 4 additional years from the date that person
- 13 would have become eligible for a life certificate to complete
- 14 the requirements for the renewal of their current 5-year certificate.
- 3. Personnel holding the 5-year certificate who under
- 16 provisions of the previous code, would have qualified for a life
- 17 certificate after August 31, 1982, and prior to September 1, 1983,
- 18 shall be granted 3 additional years from the date that person
- 19 would have become eligible for a life certificate to complete the
- 20 requirements for the renewal of their current 5-year certificate.
- 21 4. Personnel holding the 5-year certificate who, under
- 22 provisions of the previous code, would have qualified for a life
- 23 certificate after August 31, 1983, and prior to September 1, 1984,
- 24 shall be granted 2 additional years from the date that person would
- 25 have become eligible for a life certificate to complete the
- 26 requirements for the renewal of their current 5-year certificate.

- 5. Personnel holding the 5-year certificate who, under
- 2 provisions of the previous code, would have qualified for a life
- 3 certificate after August 31, 1984, and prior to September 1, 1985,
- 4 shall be granted one additional year from the date that person
- 5 would have become eligible for a life certificate to complete the
- 6 requirements for the renewal of their current 5-year certificate.
- 7 (g) A 5-year certificate renewed under the provisions of (f),
- 8 1-5 above, shall be issued as soon as requirements are met.

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- 10 A-V 3.01 (4) is repealed
- 11 A-V 3.01 (5) (a) to (e) are renumbered 3.01 (4) (a) to (e),
- 12 respectively.
- 13 A-V 3.01 (5) (f), (k) and (l) are repealed.
- 14 A-V 3.01 (5) (g) to (j) are renumbered A-V 3.01 (4) (h) to
- 15 (k), respectively.
- A-V 3.01 (4) (f) and (g) are created to read:
- 17 (f) If an individual objects to receiving certification in
- 18 additional areas, the individual may appeal as outlined in
- 19 A-V 3.01 (5) (a) and (b).
- 20 (g) In the area of adult and continuing education,
- 21 certification evaluation responsibility shall be each district's,
- 22 subject to approval by the state board to assess the effectiveness
- 23 of such evaluation.
- 24 A-V 3.01 (5) is created to read:
- 25 (5) Appeals
- 26 (a) Individuals or districts challenging a certification

- 1 decision may request an informal review by a committee
- 2 composed of two state board staff members, exclusive of the
- 3 state board certification officer, and including a program
- 4 specialist, and an individual holding a 5 year certification
- 5 employed in the disputed certification area or a representative
- 6 from the occupational field. Requests for informal
- 7 review shall be in writing to the state director. This informal
- 8 review does not prohibit the individual or district from
- 9 proceeding with a formal appeal under par. (b).
- 10 (b) All appeals of certification issues shall be conducted
- 11 in accord with the provisions of Chapter 227, Stats., and Chapter
- 12 A-V 4, Wis. Adm. Code.
- 13 A-V 3.01 (6) is repealed.
- A-V 3.02 (2) (a) is repealed and recreated to read:
- 15 (a) Educational and occupational experience shall be
- 16 appropriate to the subject being taught as evaluated by the state
- 17 board staff. The requirements which apply for provisional
- 18 certification shall be used to evaluate all part-time or limited term
- 19 teaching personnel in state-designated programs.
- 20 A-V 3.02 (3) (a) 1. is amended to read:
- 21 1. A bachelor's degree or equivalent as defined in section
- 22 A-V 3.01 (5) <u>(4)</u> (g) <u>(h)</u>.
- 23 A-V 3.02 (3) (b) 1. is amended to read:
- 24 l. Academic subject instructors shall be required to have
- 25 6 months of non-desired occupational experience in fields other
- 26 than education.

- 1 A-V 3.02 (3) (d) is amended to read:
- 2 (d) Renewal. The provisional certificate shall be valid for
- 3 a period of 2 years. The provisional certificate may shall be
- 4 renewed if, during the provisional certification period, the
- 5 applicant makes satisfactory progress toward earning a standard
- 6 5-year certificate. Satisfactory progress shall be 6 approved
- 7 semester credits or 2 months of approved appropriate occupational
- 8 experience.
- 9 A-V 3.02 (4) (title) is amended to read:
- 10 (4) Standard Five-year certification requirements
- 11 A-V 3.02 (4) (a)) 4. is amended to read:
- 12 4. Educational psychology -- 2 semester credits.
- 13 A-V 3.02 (4) (a) 7 is renumbered A-V 3.02 (4) (a) 8.
- 14 A-V 3.02 (4) (a) 7 is created to read:
- 7. Human/intergroup relations, 2 semester credits or
- 16 equivalent content in in-service courses or other experiences.
- 17 A-V 3.02 (4) (b) 1. is amended to read:
- 18 l. Six additional months for a total of 12 months of
- 19 non-described occupational experience in a field other than
- 20 education shall be required of academic subject teachers.
- 21 A-V 3.02 (4) (c) is amended to read:
- 22 (c) Teaching Professional experience. Three Two years
- 23 teaching experience as a certified teacher. Such certification
- 24 may be obtained in any recognized educational system.
- 25 A-V 3.02 (4) (d) is amended to read:
- 26 (d) Renewal. The certificate will be renewed if the

- 1 applicant for renewal has documented evidence of continued
- 2 professional growth. Minimum evidence shall be 6 approved semester
- 3 credits or 2 months of appropriate occupational experience or
- 4 other professional activity as defined by the district delineated
- 5 by the district in a plan of such activities. The district plan of
- 6 activities for professional growth may include workshops or con-
- 7 ferences of specific relevance to the staff member's responsibilities,
- 8 continuing education units (CEUs) and attendance in a district's
- 9 associate degree or vocational diploma program areas. The
- 10 district plan shall be approved, prior to its implementation, by
- 11 both the local board and the state director.
- 12 A-V 3.02 (5) is repealed.
- A-V 3.03 (1) is amended to read:
- (1) Group identification. Supervision-coordination certification
- 15 is required of those persons in each district who are designated
- 16 as such by the district director as supervisors or coordinators
- 17 and who have responsibilities for: supervising instructional
- 18 staff or instructional-related staff; or maintaining liaison
- 19 between business and industry and the schools within that
- 20 district; or management of managing one or more programs of the
- 21 district.
- 22 A-V 3.03 (3) is amended to read:
- 23 (3) Provisional certification requirements.
- 24 (a) Education. Bachelor's degree or equivalent as defined
- 25 in section A-V 3.01 (5) (4) (g) (h).
- 26 (b) Occupational experience. Same as the amount required

- 1 for the standard 5-year teaching certificate certification in the
- 2 applicant's field of instruction.
- 3 (c) Teaching experience. Three Two years teaching experience
- 4 as a certified teacher. Such certification may be obtained in any
- 5 recognized educational system.
- 6 (d) Renewal. The provisional certificate shall be valid
- 7 for a period of 2 years. The provisional certificate may shall
- 8 be renewed if, during the provisional certification period, the
- 9 applicant makes satisfactory progress toward earning a standard
- 10 5-year certificate. Satisfactory progress shall be 6 approved
- 11 semester credits.
- 12 A-V 3.03 (4) is amended to read:
- 13 (4) Standard Five-year certification requirements. (a)
- 14 Education.
- 1. Educational requirements for teacher certification defined
- 16 in section A-V 3.02 (4) (a) must be met.
- 17 2. Supervision or coordination -- 2 semester credits.
- 18 3. Twelve semester credits in professional education in
- 19 appropriate areas in addition to item 1 above.
- 20 4. Master's degree or equivalent as defined in section
- 21 A-V 3.01 (5) (4) (i) (j).
- 22 (b) Occupational experience. Same as the amount required
- 23 for standard 5-year certification in the applicant's field of
- 24 instruction.
- 25 (c) Professional experience. Three Two years of experience
- 26 as a certified supervisor-coordinator.

- 1 (d) Renewal. The certificate will be renewed if the
- 2 applicant for renewal has documented evidence of continued
- 3 professional growth. Minimum evidence shall be 6 approved semester
- 4 credits or 2 months of appropriate occupational experience or other
- 5 professional activity as defined by the district delineated by
- 6 the district in a plan of such activities. The district plan of
- 7 activities for professional growth may include workshops or
- 8 conferences of specific relevance to the staff member's
- 9 responsibilities, continuing education units (CEUs) and atten-
- 10 dance in a district's associate degree or vocational diploma
- 11 program areas. The district plan shall be approved, prior to its
- 12 implementation, by both the local board and the state director.
- 13 A-V 3.03 (5) is repealed.
- A-V 3.04 (1) is amended to read:
- 15 (1) Group identification. Administrative certification is
- 16 required of those persons in each district who are designated as
- 17 administrators by the district by virtue of their responsibilities
- 18 for the administration of the overall educational program of the
- 19 district or for an assigned portion of the overall educational
- 20 program.
- A-V 3.04 (3) and (4) are amended as follows:
- 22 (3) Provisional certification requirements.
- 23 (a) Education. Master's degree or equivalent.
- 24 (b) Occupational experience. Same as the amount required
- 25 for the standard 5-year teaching certificate certification in the
- 26 applicant's field of instruction.

- 1 (c) Teaching experience. Three Two years teaching experience
- 2 as a certified teacher. Such certification may be obtained in any
- 3 recognized educational system.
- 4 (d) Renewal. The provisional certificate shall be valid for a
- 5 period of 2 years. The provisional certificate may shall be renewed
- 6 if, during the provisional certification period, the applicant makes
- 7 satisfactory progress in earning a standard 5-year certificate
- 8 certificate. Satisfactory progress shall be 6 approved semester credit
- 9 (4) Standard Five-year certification requirements.
- 10 (a) Education
- 1. Educational requirements for teacher certification defined
- 12 in section A-V 3.02 (4) (a) must be met.
- 2. Fifteen semester credits hours of professional education
- 14 appropriate to the administrative position in addition to par. (a)
- 15 1., above.
- 16 \ (b) Occupational experience. No-additional-requirement.
- 17 Same as the amount required for 5-year certification in the
- 18 applicant's field of instruction.
- 19 (c) Professional experience. Three Two years of experience
- 20 as a certified administrator in any recognized educational
- 21 system.
- 22 (d) Renewal.
- 23 l. This certificate will be renewed if the applicant for
- 24 renewal has documented evidence of continued professional growth.
- 25 Minimum evidence shall be 6 approved semester credits or other
- 26 professional activities as defined by the district delineated by the

- 1 district in a plan of such activities. The district plan of
- 2 activities for professional growth may include workshops or
- 3 conferences of specific relevance to the staff member's
- 4 responsibilities, continuing education units (CEUs) and attendance
- 5 in a district's associate degree or vocational diploma program
- 6 areas. The district plan shall be approved, prior to its
- 7 implementation, by both the local board and the state director.
- 8 A-V 3.04 (5) is repealed.
- 9 A-V 3.05 (1) and (2) are amended to read
- 10 A-V 3.05 Counselors.
- 11 (1) Group identification. Counselor certification is
- 12 required of those persons in each district who are designated as
- 13 counselors by the district director by virtue of their
- 14 responsibilities for counseling students on vocational/career
- 15 and personal concerns through the use of interview, test and other
- 16 techniques based on modern psychological principles. A-counselor
- 17 is defined as a person so named or designated by the district or
- 18 a person performing counselor-functions.
- 19 (2) Approval requirements. The approval status is not
- 20 appropriate and shall not be granted except to limited term
- 21 counselors functioning in special educational projects such as
- 22 manpower development and training act programs, or other unique
- 23 programs for the disavantaged or handicapped. When approval is
- 24 granted, the unique nature of the special program and the
- 25 background of the individual shall be considered.
- 26 A-V 3.05 (3) (a), (b), (c) and (d) are amended as follows:

- 1 (3) Provisional certification requirements.
- 2 (a) Education. A master's degree in guidance and counseling
- 3 or a bachelor's degree and 20 semester hours of graduate credit in
- 4 appropriate counseling courses.
- 5 (b) Occupational experience. The applicant shall have 24
- 6 months of non-described occupational experience outside the field
- 7 of education.
- 8 (c) Teaching experience. Three Two years teaching experience
- 9 as a certified teacher. Such certification may be obtained in any
- 10 recognized educational system.
- 11 (d) Renewal. The provisional certificate shall be valid for
- 12 2 years. The provisional certificate may shall be renewed if, during
- 13 the provisional certification period, the applicant makes satisfactory
- 14 progress toward earning a standard 5-year certificate. Satisfactory
- 15 progress shall be 6 approved semester credits or 2 months of approved
- 16 appropriate occupational experience.
- 17 A-V 3.05 (4) is amended as follows:
- 18 (4) Standard Five-year certification requirements.
- 19 (a) Education.
- 20 1. Philosophy of vocational, technical and adult education
- 21 in Wisconsin -- 2 semester credits.
- 22 2. Master's degree in guidance and counseling or 30 credits
- 23 in appropriate counseling courses equivalent, i.e., bachelor's
- 24 degree plus 30 semester credits in counseling and guidance
- 25 including the practicum experience.
- 26 (b) Occupational experience. No additional requirements.

- 1 Same as the amount required for the provisional certificate.
- 2 (c) Professional experience. Three Two years experience
- 3 as a certified counselor.
- 4 (d) Renewal. The certificate will be renewed if the
- 5 applicant for renewal has documented evidence of continued
- 6 professional growth. Minimum evidence shall be 6 approved semester
- 7 credits or 2 months of appropriate occuptional experience or other
- 8 professional activity as defined by the district delineated by
- 9 the district in a plan of such activities. The district plan of
- 10 activities for professional growth may include workshops or
- 11 conferences of specific relevance to the staff member's
- 12 responsibilities, continuing education units (CEUs) and attendance
- 13 in a district's associate degree or vocational diploma program
- 14 areas. The district plan shall be approved, prior to its
- 15 implementation, by both the local board and the state director.
- 16 \ A-V 3.05 (5) is repealed.
- $17 \cdot A-V \cdot 3.06$ (1) is amended to read:
- 18 A-V 3.06 Librarians.
- 19 (1) Group identification. Librarians are those specialists
- 20 who are responsible for the care and operation and management of a
- 21 library and the library services program.
- 22 A-V 3.06 (3) (b) and (d) are amended to read:
- 23 (b) Occupational experience. Six months of non-described
- 24 occupational experience in a field other than education or library
- 25 management in an educational institution.
- 26 (d) Renewal. The certificate shall be valid for a period

- of 2 years. The provisional certificate may shall be renewed if,
- 2 during the provisional certification period, the applicant makes
- 3 satisfactory progress in earning a 5-year renewable certificate.
- 4 Satisfactory progress shall be 6 approved semester credits or 2
- 5 months of approved occupational experience.
- 6 A-V 3.06 (4) (a), (b), (c) and (d) are amended to read
- 7 (4) Standard Five-year certification requirements. In
- 8 addition to the requirements for provisional certification the
- 9 following must be completed:
- 10 (a) Education.
- 1. Philosophy of vocational, technical and adult education in
- 12 Wisconsin -- 2 semester credits.
- 13 2. Master's degree in library science of 30 credit hours in
- 14 appropriate areas.
- 2. A bachelor's degree including 30 semester credits in
- 16 library science or a master's degree in library science.
- 17 (b) Occupational experience. Six additional months for a
- 18 total of 12 months of occupational experience is required outside
- 19 the field of education or library management.
- 20 (c) Professional experience. Three Two years as a certified
- 21 librarian.
- (d) Renewal. The certificate will be renewed if the applicant
- 23 for renewal has documented evidence of continued professional growth.
- 24 Minimum evidence shall be 6 approved semester credits or other
- 25 professional activities as defined by the district delineated in a
- 26 plan of such activities. The district plan of activities for

- 1 professional growth may include workshops or conferences of specific
- 2 relevance to the staff member's responsibilities, continuing
- 3 education units (CEUs) and attendance in a district's associate
- 4 degree or vocational diploma program areas. The district plan
- 5 shall be approved, prior to its implementation, by both the local
- 6 board and the state director.
- 7 A-V 3.06 (5) is repealed.
- 8 A-V 3.07 (title), (1) and (3) (a), (c) and (d) are amended
- 9 to read:
- 10 A-V 3.07 Instructional media, specialists audio-visual
- 11 specialists and curriculum specialists.
- 12 (1) Group identification. Instructional media specialist
- 13 certification is required of those individuals in each district
- 14 who are assigned to advise and assist the instructional staff in
- 15 the use of various <u>curriculum materials</u>, instructional devices
- 16 \and audio-visual techniques.
- 17 (3) Provisional certification requirements.
- 18 (a) Education. A graduate or undergraduate degree with
- 19 major emphasis in audio-visual education, or instructional media
- 20 or curriculum.
- 21 (c) Teaching experience. Three Two years of teaching
- 22 experience as a certified teacher. Such certification may be
- 23 obtained in any recognized educational system.
- 24 (d) Renewal. The provisional certificate shall be valid
- 25 for 2 years. The provisional certificate may shall be renewed if,
- 26 during the provisional certification period, the applicant makes

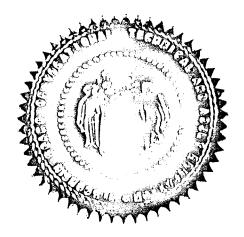
- 1 satisfactory progress toward earning a standard 5-year certificate.
- 2 Satisfactory progress shall be 6 approved semester credits or 2
- 3 months of approved occupational experience.
- A-V 3.07 (4) is repealed and recreated to read:
- 5 (4) Five-year certification requirements.
- 6 (a) Education. In addition to the requirements for provisional
- 7 certification, the requirements noted at A-V 3.02 (4) (a), 1-8, must
- 8 be met.
- 9 (b) Occupational experience. Six additional months of
- 10 occupational experience outside the field of education for a total
- 11 amount of 12 months of experience.
- 12 (c) Professional experience. Two years of professional
- 13 experience as a certified instructional media, audio-visual or
- 14 curriculum specialist. Such certification may be obtained in any
- 15 recognized educational system.
- 16 \ (d) Renewal. The certificate will be renewed if the applicant
- 17 for renewal has documented evidence of continued professional growth.
- 18 Minimum evidence shall be 6 approved semester credits or 2 months of
- 19 appropriate occupational experience or other professional activity
- 20 delineated by the district in a plan of such activities. The district
- 21 plan of activities for professional growth may include workshops
- 22 or conferences of specific relevance to the staff member's
- 23 responsibilities, continuing education units (CEUs) and attendance in
- 24 a district's associate degree or vocational diploma program areas.
- 25 The district plan shall be approved, prior to its implementation,
- 26 by both the local board and the state director.

A-V 3.07 (5) is repealed. 1

The rules, amendments and repeals contained in this order shall take effect as provided in s. 227.026 (1) (intro.), Wis. Stats.

Date: December 17, 1980

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Mr. Orlan L. Prestegard Revisor of Statutes State Capitol, Room 411 W Madison, WI 53702

Dear Mr. Prestegard:

Enclosed for further processing as Administrative Code, is Chapter A-V 3, Certification of Personnel, Wisconsin Administrative Code, adopted by this Board on September 30, 1980. This rule has passed through both standing committees of the Legislature.

As per your requirement, we have included a certified copy and one additional copy for your use.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if any further information is needed.

Sincerely.

Edward S. Alschuler

Legal Counsel

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Enclosure