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STATE OF WISCONSIN

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

I, Barbara Thompson, State Superintendent of the State Department of Public Instruction, and custodian of the official records of the State Department of Public Instruction, do hereby certify that the annexed rules and amendments to rules, relating to current standards of certification established by the State Superintendent, were duly approved and adopted by me on November 5, 1975.

I further certify that said copy has been compared by me with the original on file in the State Department of Public Instruction 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 department at Wisconsin
Hall, 126 Langdon Street, in the
city of Madison, this 5th day of
November A.D. 1975.

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DOUGLAS LAFOLLETTE
SECRETARY OF STATE

Barbara Thompson
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State Superintendent
State Department of Public Instruction

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Adopting, Amending, and Repealing Rules

Pursuant to authority vested in the State Superintendent of Public Instruction by Section 115.28(7), Wisconsin Statutes, she hereby repeals, amends, and adopts rules as follows:

PI 3.20(1) is repealed and recreated to read:

PI 3.20(1) SCHOOL SOCIAL WORKER. A school social worker certificate may be issued to an individual who meets the requirements stipulated in paragraphs (a) and (b) below:

- (a) A master's degree in social work and completion of an approved program in school social work. Graduates should have competencies in the following areas: human growth and development, group dynamics, family management, organizational theory, program planning and coordination, systems analysis, research, various treatment modalities (e.g., behavior modification, transactional analysis, reality therapy, etc.), and special populations (e.g., handicapped, aged, delinquent youth, poverty groups, etc.).
- (b) Eighteen semester credits of professional education or its equivalent*
 1. Completion of at least six semester credits in professional education.
 2. Two years of social work experience dealing with children and youth is required. One year of this experience must be completed in elementary or secondary schools or in an agency whose major responsibility is to serve children and youth and whose program is recognized by an institution with an approved program in school social work. In meeting the 18 semester credit education requirement, a maximum of 8 semester credits can be accepted at the rate of 4 semester credits for each year of social work experience completed as described in the preceding statement.

*Graduate and undergraduate credits obtained in social work, psychology, or sociology which the university school of education will accept as equivalent to professional education credits will be accepted toward completion of the 18 semester credit education requirement.