

Public Notice

Education

State Board of Education

Notice of Receipt and Action on Petition for Rulemaking

Title 6A of the New Jersey Administrative Code

Petitioner: Antonia Amini.

Take notice that on September 1, 2023, the New Jersey State Board of Education (State Board) received a petition for rulemaking from the petitioner requesting that the State Board repeal Title 6A of the New Jersey Administrative Code.

N.J.A.C. 1:30-4.1(b) and 6A:6-4.1(b) require a petition for rulemaking to include the substance or nature of the rulemaking that is requested, the reasons for the request and the petitioner's interest in the request, and references to the agency's authority to take the requested action.

The petitioner provided, "Schools not notifying parents on gender changes" as the substance or nature of the request. The petitioner also asserted that New Jersey "won in court to make it a law that parents are not to be notified if a child wants to change their gender." The petitioner did not provide a statutory or regulatory citation for the State Board's authority to take the requested action.

The Department of Education contacted the petitioner multiple times for clarification regarding which regulation(s) and/or chapter(s) in Title 6A of the New Jersey Administrative Code the petitioner would like repealed but did not receive a response.

Therefore, the petition must be denied for failure to comply with N.J.A.C. 1:30-4.1(b) and 6A:6-4.1(b).