

**October 30, 2003**

**STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO HOLD SPECIAL MEETING ON NOVEMBER 4, 2003**

The Idaho State Board of Education will hold a special meeting via teleconference on Tuesday, November 4, 2003. Those wishing to come to the teleconference location in Boise may come to the Len B. Jordan Building Basement Conference Room located at 650 W. State Street. The meeting is scheduled to begin at 2:00 p.m. You may also dial in to the conference by calling the following number: 1-608-250-9281 and entering the participant code 450 169 when prompted by the operator.

Agenda highlights are listed below. A full agenda as well as additional details on each item can be found at [here](#).

The Board will consider for a second time proposed rules on the following topics:

Rules Governing Thoroughness (Accountability) -A phased in approach to the high school exiting requirements will also be discussed.

Changes to teacher certification rules, including alternative routes to certification and the code of ethics.

Temporary proposed rules regarding Charter Schools will also be considered. The temporary rule, if approved, provides the Board with an avenue in which to address multiple issues that have been identified during its ongoing review of charter schools. These issues include consistency in the authorization process, enrollment and limiting the liability of local districts.

If approved, these rules will be forwarded to the 2004 session of the Legislature for final approval.