

Overview of Changes to Charter Renewal Application

As PEC requested, all references to years have been removed so the document can be used in future years without being approved annual. Year references removed from:

- Title page
- Footer
- Process and Timeline (p. 4) now called **Annual Process and Timeline**
- References to the application throughout the document

Substantive change:

- Added to **2.d Equity and Identity** (p. 8): How is the school complying with the requirements of the Indian Education Act (NMSA § 22-23A), the Hispanic Education Act (NMSA § 22-23B), and the Black Education Act NMSA § 22-23C)? What role does the school's equity council play in protecting the rights of all students?

Clean-up edits:

- Charter schools email corrected throughout to charter.schools@ped.nm.gov
- Part C (p. 10) includes a special requirement for schools in the lowest 25% of all schools in the NM System of Support and Accountability for SY2018-19 or SY2021-22,
 - SY2018-19 has been removed because it is outside the contract term of schools that will submit renewal applications in 2023.
 - SY2021-22 rankings are not yet released, but presumably will be in the months prior to the application due date.