Concise Explanatory Statement For Rulemaking Adoption:

Findings required for rulemaking adoption:

Findings MUST include:
- Reasons for adopting rule, including any findings otherwise required by law of the agency, and a summary
of any independent analysis done by the agency;
- Reasons for any change between the published proposed rule and the final rule; and
- Reasons for not accepting substantive arguments made through public comment.

Specific statutory or other authority authorizing rulemaking: Sections 9-24-8, 22-2-1, 22-2-2, and 22-2C-3 NMSA 1978.

Rule adoption date:
06/13/24

Rule effective date:
06/25/24

The proposed repeal eliminates from NMAC demonstration of competency as required for high school graduation.

Reasons for adopting rule:

At the close of the 2024 Legislative Session, Governor Michelle Lujan Grisham signed into law House Bill 171. This legislation removed demonstration of competency as a requirement for high school graduation. The proposed repeal would align New Mexico Administrative Code (NMAC) with current statute.

Reasons for any change between the published proposed rule and the final rule: No change.

Issuing authority (If delegated, authority letter must be on file with ALD):
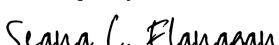**Name:**

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Check if authority has been delegated

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Title:

Managing Director

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6/13/2024

RULE CHANGES	
Section	**Change**
6.19.7	• No changes.

Public Comment Period: May 7, 2024 to June 11, 2024

The New Mexico Public Education Department (PED) received no public comment for this rule.

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Summary of Comments	**PED Response**
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