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*Chancellor*

Public Comment Analysis

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Topic: Proposed Amendments to Chancellor's Regulation C-37

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**Summary of Proposed Amendments to Chancellor's Regulation C-37**

Chancellor's Regulation C-37 governs the selection of community superintendents. The following amendments are proposed:

- New experience requirements are added. In addition to having least seven years of prior pedagogic experience as defined in Regulation C-30, superintendents must have at least three successful years as a public or private school principal. These requirements do not apply to incumbent superintendents.
- Selection criteria have been modified for clarification and expanded to add: focus on the instructional core; commitment to arts education and developing student talents; ability to be inclusive of all members of the school community; ability to work with principals as partners in providing support for struggling schools; ability to engage relevant community stakeholders; and ability to be visible and approachable by the community and to attend community events.
- Applicants will be required to submit essays on relevant topics and letters of reference.
- The Senior Deputy Chancellor or designee is responsible for interviewing candidates from among those who apply in response to the Department of Education's posting.

**Summaries of Issues Raised in Written and Oral Comments and Significant Alternatives Suggested**

No comments were received and no significant alternatives were suggested.

**Analysis of Issues Raised, Significant Alternatives Suggested, and Changes Made to the Proposal**

No comments were received and no significant alternatives were suggested. Accordingly, the Chancellor will present the proposed amendments to the regulation to the Panel for Educational Policy as posted.

A copy of the proposed amended regulation can be obtained at:

<http://schools.nyc.gov/AboutUs/leadership/PEP/publicnotice/2013-2014/August212014Regulations>