CONCISE EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

In accordance with the Administrative Procedures Act, R.I. Gen. Laws § 42-35-2.6, following is a concise explanatory statement:

AGENCY: Department of Elementary and Secondary Education

DIVISION: *(If any)*

RULE IDENTIFIER: 200-RICR-20-20-3

RULE TITLE: Educator Evaluation System Standards

REASON FOR RULEMAKING: The purpose of this regulation is to establish a set of comprehensive evaluation system expectations for district-based systems.

ANY FINDING REQUIRED BY LAW AS A PREREQUISITE TO THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE RULE: *(if any)*

TESTIMONY AND COMMENTS: No public comments were received and no public objections were received.

CHANGE TO TEXT OF THE RULE: There are no changes between the text that was noticed and the text that is being posted.

REGULATORY ANALYSIS: The promulgation of this regulation is pursuant to R.I.G.L 16-60-4 and 16-12-11 for on-going evaluation system structure.

Amendment prompted by federal statutory or regulatory changes where the agency was able to use discretion