



# **Commission for Educational Quality and Accountability**

## **REGULAR MEETING MINUTES**

**March 11, 2026, 1:30 P.M.  
The Strata Tower at Oklahoma Commons  
123 Robert S. Kerr Avenue  
Oklahoma City, OK 73102  
28<sup>th</sup> Floor, Conference Room 5**

The Commission for Educational Quality and Accountability (the “Commission” or “CEQA”) met for a Commission meeting at 1:30 p.m., on March 11, 2025, at the offices of the Office of Educational Quality and Accountability (“OEQA”), 123 Robert S. Kerr Avenue, 28<sup>th</sup> Floor, Conference Room 5, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73102. Notice of Meeting and Agenda were posted in accordance with the Oklahoma the Oklahoma Open Meeting Act.

**COMMISSION MEMBERS PRESENT:** Secretary of Education Daniel Hamlin, Ph.D.  
John Daniel, Kathryn Szallar, Melissa Evon,  
Jennifer Carlson

**COMMISSION MEMBERS ABSENT:** Ken Parker, Ashlyn Fiegenger, Ph.D.

**OEQA STAFF PRESENT:** Michelle Seybolt, Ed.D., Tatyana Blakemore

**GUESTS PRESENT:** Kristin Bugg; Jen Oswald, Lacey Lynn

**Call to Order:** Secretary of Education Daniel Hamlin, Ph.D. called the March 11, 2026, Regular Meeting of the Commission to order at 1:38 p.m. Roll call established the presence of a quorum with five (5) Commission Members present as follows: Secretary of Education Dr. Hamlin; John Daniel; Kathryn Szallar; Melissa Evon; and Jennifer Carlson

**Welcome and Introduction of Others Present:** Dr. Michelle Seybolt welcomed the Commission and introduced others present at the meeting.

**Public Comment:** None

**Discussion, and Possible Revision, and Action to:** Approve Consent Agenda. The following items were presented under the Consent Agenda as these items included are considered routine in nature or had been previously discussed by the Commission and could be approved in one motion unless removed for separate consideration:

- A. Approval of Minutes of the January 21, 2026, Regular Meeting of the Commission
- B. Approval of Minutes of the February 12, 2026, Special Meeting of the Commission

The Commission reviewed the Consent Agenda. Ms. Szallar made a motion to: Approve the Consent Agenda and thereby approve the minutes of the January 21, 2026, Regular Meeting and the February 12, 2026, Special Meeting of the Commission. Mr. Daniel seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously by roll call vote of the Commission Members present. Those voting for the motion: Secretary Dr. Hamlin, John Daniel, Kathryn Szallar, Melissa Evon, and Jennifer Carlson.

**Discussion, and Possible Action to:** Revoke Accreditation of Langston University's Instrumental Music Program. Ms. Evon made a motion to: Revoke Accreditation of Langston University's Instrumental Music Program. Ms. Szallar seconded the motion, and the motion passed unanimously by roll call vote of the Commission Members present. Those voting for the motion: Secretary Dr. Hamlin, John Daniel, Kathryn Szallar, Melissa Evon, and Jennifer Carlson.

**New Business:** None

**Adjournment:** Secretary Dr. Hamlin made a motion to adjourn at 2:31 P.M. Mr. Daniel seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously by roll call vote of the Commission Members present. Those voting for the motion: Secretary Dr. Hamlin, John Daniel, Kathryn Szallar, Melissa Evon, and Jennifer Carlson.