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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

**August 16, 2017**

**Public Hearing for Approval of Board Policy on Independent Study**

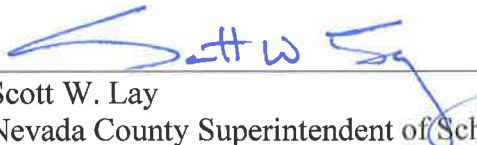
**Purpose:** The Nevada County Board of Education shall hold a Public Hearing in accordance with the *California Code of Regulations, Title 5, Section 11702 and Education Code section 51747*, to consider the scope of its existing or prospective use of independent study as an instructional strategy, its purposes in authorizing independent study, and factors bearing specifically on the maximum realistic lengths of assignments and acceptable number of missed assignments for specific populations of pupils. Adopted policies shall reflect an awareness that excessive leniency in their terms can result in pupils falling so far behind their age peers as to increase, rather than decrease, the risk of their dropping out of school.

**Date:** Wednesday, August 16, 2017

**Time:** 3:00 p.m.

**Location** Nevada County Superintendent of Schools, Board Room, 380 Crown Point Circle, Grass Valley, California.

Posted this 4<sup>th</sup> day of August 2017

  
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