

**CALIFORNIA ARCHITECTS BOARD
LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS TECHNICAL COMMITTEE
FINAL STATEMENT OF REASONS**

Hearing Date: **November 30, 2015**

Subject Matter of Proposed Regulation: **Education and Training Credits**

Section Affected: **California Code of Regulations (CCR), Title 16, Division 26, Section 2620**

Updated Information

The Initial Statement of Reasons is included in the file. The information contained therein is updated as follows:

In both the Notice of Proposed Changes in the Regulations and the Initial Statement of Reasons, the Board commented that by adding a setting in which training/practice credit can be earned thus expanding eligibility opportunities for candidates, the proposed regulation compliments the Department of Consumer Affairs' Licensing for Job Creation Initiative. The Board subsequently discovered that the Job Creation Initiative no longer exists. However, the Board did not rely on the Job Creation Initiative as a factor in proposing the regulation and its expiration does not change the Board's proposal to add teaching as an area in which training/practice credit can be earned.

Local Mandate

A mandate is not imposed on local agencies or school districts.

Small Business Impact

This regulation will not have a significant adverse economic impact on small business.

Anticipated Benefits of This Regulatory Action

By adding a setting in which training/practice credit can be earned, this proposed regulation expands eligibility opportunities for candidates for licensure.

Consideration of Alternatives

No reasonable alternative which was considered or that has otherwise been identified and brought to the attention of the board/bureau/commission/program would be more effective in carrying out the purpose for which it was proposed or would be as effective and less burdensome to affected private persons than the adopted regulation or would be more cost effective to affected private persons and equally effective in implementing the statutory policy or other provision of law.

Objections or Recommendations/Responses

No recommendations or objections were made regarding the proposed action during the 45-day public comment period.