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**Rule Citation:** NMAC 6.65.4, Teacher Leader Development Framework

## Overview of Proposed Rule

**Agency:** Public Education Department

**Rulemaking Action:** Repeal

**Date of Notice:** July 16, 2024

**Public Comment Period:** July 16-August 20, 2024

**Rule's Purpose:** The proposed repeal would eliminate the regulatory process by which the Public Education Department (PED) administers its teacher leader network.

## Summary of Proposed Repeal of NMAC 6.65.4, Teacher Leader Development Framework

PED's proposed repeal of NMAC 6.65.4 would eliminate regulatory provisions adopted in 2018. The notice of proposed rulemaking states the department intends to repeal the rule because "the existing Teacher Development program is described in guidance."

**Background.** The Teacher Leader Development Network was developed by PED during the administration of Gov. Susana Martinez, but the current rule was not adopted until the last month of her second term.

The current rule defines the different roles available to educators as part of the program, including school liaisons, teacher ambassadors, the secretary's teacher advisory, and the teacher liaison. The rule specifies the responsibilities of the teacher liaison, including implementing and managing the teacher leader program.

## Impact

PED staff indicate the repeal of the rule will not change the way the teacher leader development program operates.