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Since January 1, 2008 several issues and concerns have been reported to DPS and their fingerprinting vendor – IBT - related to fingerprint collection. DPS and IBT are making every effort to respond to these issues and welcome your continued feedback. Please click on the topic title above to access a list of Frequently Asked Questions...

[1/25/2008 Update on Status of Credit Card Payments for Non-Certified Employees](#)

We have been advised by DPS that the option to pay by credit card when scheduling appointments with L1-Identity Solutions is now available. To our knowledge, the options to pay by check/money order or by DPS billing account are still available. Thank you for your patience as DPS has worked to make this available.

[Update on Status of Credit Card Payments for Non-Certified Employees](#)

DPS has provided an alternate method of payment which is detailed in the documents listed below. This will allow a school district to set up a billing account with the DPS to collect the associated fingerprinting fees for these individuals. For details on how to establish this account, please read the attachments carefully and direct any questions regarding this process to DPS.

The option to pay by check or money order with L1 remains an option also.

- [ISD Billing Notification](#)
- [ISD Billing Request](#)

[Public Information Act – Open Records Division](#)

The Open Records Division of the Attorney General's Office ruled in ORD NO. 441 in 1986, that "job related examination scores of public employees or applicants for public employment are not exempted from the public", this information can be found [here](#). The Texas Education Agency and the State Board for Educator Certification have received many e-mails and phone calls from educators regarding the recent release of educators test scores by an Investigative Reporter in the Houston area. The information was obtained under the Public Information Act. It is not the policy of TEA or SBEC to post educators test results on the website.

Test Registration - TEA ID Number

If you need a TEA ID number to register for testing with ETS, please login into your [SBEC Online account](#) or if you do not have one, you may create a new account by [clicking here](#). Your TEA ID number will be listed in your profile once you have logged in/created your account.

[District Fingerprinting Procedures for Non-Certified Employees under Senate Bill 9](#)

An introduction to Senate Bill 9 (SB 9) was outlined in a Texas Education Agency (TEA) letter to administrators dated October 5, 2007. Senate Bill 9 was passed by the 80th Legislature and mandates that TEA acquire criminal history reports on charter school employees, certified and currently employed educators, substitutes, and non-certified employees hired after January 1, 2008. This notice is to provide insight on how the process will follow for non-certified employees hired after January 1, 2008...

[Information on Senate Bill 9 \(SB 9\)](#)

The Texas Education Agency (TEA) is preparing to implement procedures related to the implementation of Senate Bill 9 (SB 9) also known as the "Fingerprinting Bill" which was passed by the 80th Legislature...

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[Senate Bill 9](#)

Senate Bill 9 (SB 9) also known as the "Fingerprinting Bill" was passed by the 80th Legislature and signed into law by Governor Perry on June 15, 2007. SB 9 authorizes and requires greatly expanded criminal history information reviews for most classes of educators and school employees, including...

[Deadline to Apply for ExCET-Based Certificates Scheduled for Deletion in Fall 2009](#)

Educators wishing to obtain certificates that are scheduled for deletion in fall 2009, regardless of your route to certification, must meet all certification requirements by August 31, 2009.

[Certification Training for School Districts and Educator Preparation Programs](#)

The Texas Education Agency, Division of Educator Certification and Standards, has scheduled two certification information and training sessions for school districts and educator preparation programs.

[Educators Must Update Their Mailing Address/Name Change](#)

In accordance with the Texas Administrative Code §230.431 (c) An applicant for or holder of an educator's certificate shall provide SBEC a current United States mailing address...

[Test Center Complaints](#)

If you have comments about the test center or the conditions under which you took a test, please submit them in writing to ETS...

[New Application Process for Educational Aides](#)

Effective immediately, employing Texas public schools must enter basic profile information online before an educational aide can set up an account and apply for...

[New Procedures for Certification Test Approval](#)

Effective September 1, 2006, educators/certification candidates may register for a state certification exam (TExES, ExCET, TOPT, TxMaT or TASC/TASC-ASL) if one of the following...

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