

**NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION**

**AGENCY NAME:** Alabama Department of Education

**RULE NO. & TITLE:** 290-3-1-.02(12); Regulations Governing Public Schools

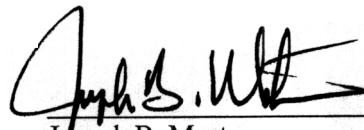
**INTENDED ACTION:** Amend Existing Rule

**SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION:** The proposed changes in 290-3-1-.02(12) will remove the existing restriction on the number of online courses that may be taken by students in Grades 9-12, delete the clock hour requirement, add a section for homebound students, and clarify the existing rule by adding additional details.

**TIME, PLACE, MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS:** A public hearing will be held at 9:30 a.m. on September 13, 2007, in the Auditorium of the Plaza Level of the Gordon Persons Building, 50 North Ripley Street, Montgomery, Alabama. All persons wishing to express their views should contact the State Superintendent of Education at (334) 242-9700 no later than September 12, 2007, in order to be scheduled on the agenda. Written comments to the State Board of Education should be addressed to the State Superintendent of Education, Gordon Persons Building, P.O. Box 302101, Montgomery, Alabama 36130-2101.

**FINAL DATE FOR COMMENT AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE:** September 13, 2007

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