

**RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE REVIEW  
OF AN EDUCATOR PREPARATION PROGRAM  
University of West Alabama**

**WHEREAS**, *Alabama Administrative Code*, Rule No. 290-3-3-.56(4)(b)2., requires that approval by the Alabama State Board of Education shall be secured before a proposal for a new program is reviewed by the Office of Teaching and Leading of the Alabama State Department of Education; and

**WHEREAS**, the State Superintendent of Education has received from the Provost at the University of West Alabama a written request to develop an innovative Class A program; and

**WHEREAS**, the request lists the specific proposed program for which the Alabama State Board of Education approval is being sought, together with information concerning the factors to be taken into account in determining the need for the programs; and

**WHEREAS**, University of West Alabama personnel have been advised that the proposed program may not be implemented prior to Alabama State Board of Education approval based on documentation of compliance with all applicable standards; and

**WHEREAS**, the State Superintendent of Education recommends that the program be reviewed by the Office of Teaching and Leading of the Alabama State Department of Education:

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, That the Alabama State Board of Education hereby authorizes a review of the following program:

Innovative Class A Dyslexia Therapy (P-12)

Done this 9th day of January 2020