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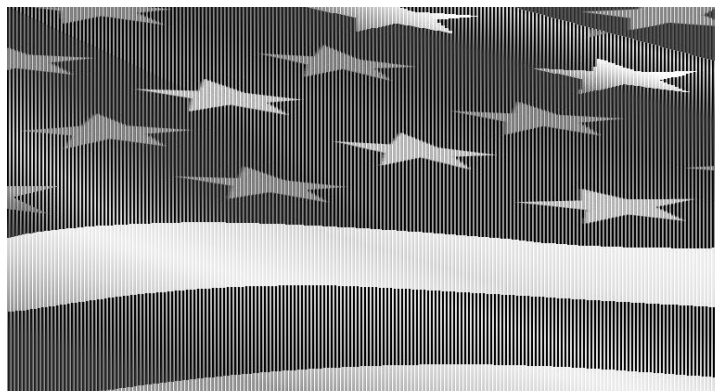
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## PED Reaction to Paper Registrations

CAPE wants to keep you as up to date as possible. The first group of people who sent in their paperwork with only page 3 as recommended are getting letters from PED indicating that they need to submit all the pages. This is not a surprise and we have a recommendation of action from HSLDA. If you are not aware, HSLDA are our



attorneys in homeschool matters. If you are not an HSLDA member we strongly encourage you to become one. As a CAPE member you get a \$15 discount on your membership.

HSLDA recommends the following depending on your membership status with HSLDA:

For HSLDA Member Families:

- 1) Send the letter from PED to HSLDA,
- 2) Send a copy of your notice form(s),
- 3) Send information on when you mailed your notice (copies of receipts), and
- 4) List of what you included (i.e. PED Notice form/pg 3, statement of opposition to statements of understanding, etc.)

HSLDA will send a letter on your behalf to PED with another copy of your notice to document the paper trail. You can scan the documents (even if they just take a clear picture) and email them to [newmexico@hsllda.org](mailto:newmexico@hsllda.org) or send via fax at (540) 338-1952.

Families who are not HSLDA members:

- 1) Send letter from PED to CAPE-NM,
- 2) Send a copy of your notice form(s),
- 3) Send information on when you mailed your notice, and

4) List of what you included (i.e. PED Notice form/pg 3, statement of opposition to statements of understanding, etc.)

CAPE-NM and HSLDA will work together to follow up with the PED on behalf of all of these families. HSLDA will likely send a letter to the PED re-submitting these notice forms as well. Email these to [capenm@cape-nm.org](mailto:capenm@cape-nm.org). If you do not get a reply within 24 hours then please resend the email.

We cannot guarantee any future actions PED will take. Hopefully this by itself will bring PED to take our requests seriously. We all need to pray that PED will realize that a court battle will be too time consuming and costly and change back to what we had previously.

As always if you have concerns or questions that you want to share with CAPE, please contact us on Facebook or send us an email at [capenm@cape-nm.org](mailto:capenm@cape-nm.org).

## Need a Weekend Getaway?



Homeschooling can be stressful. How about a weekend to bond with other homeschool families, have a Mom's night out, family time, and encouragement all in one weekend? The CAPE Fall Family Retreat provides all of this plus more. Our guaranteed registration slots are filling up fast. If any slots are open after July 15th they will be offered to other groups. To get more information goto [www.cape-nm.org/fall-family-retreat/](http://www.cape-nm.org/fall-family-retreat/). Need to find a cheaper alternative? Bring a camper or an RV. Food costs a problem? Bring your own food and fix it yourself. Refrigerators and microwaves are available in common rooms. Don't let the cost keep you from a great weekend. We look forward to you joining us.

## CAPE-NM Calendar



August 1, 2018 Registration Deadline with the state ([see the recent blog post](#))

August 4, 2018 [CAPE- NM Back to School Picnic](#)

October 19-21, 2018 [Fall Family Retreat](#)  
Registration currently open

February 4-8, 2019 [TeenPact Leadership School](#)

February 7, 2019 [CAPE at the Capitol](#)

Graduation and convention dates for 2019 are changing. Stay tuned for details

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