

**ATTACHMENT II**  
**Text of Proposed Amendment to**

**Figure: 19 TAC §230.11(b)(5)(C) [Figure: 19 TAC §230.11(b)(5)(C)]**

**Countries in which English is an Official Language**

The countries listed below have been approved by the State Board for Educator Certification (SBEC) to satisfy the English language proficiency requirement specified in 19 TAC §230.11(b)(5)(C). To be exempted from the Test of English as a Foreign Language internet-Based Test (TOEFL - iBT) testing requirement specified in 19 TAC §230.11(b)(5)(B), a certification candidate must have earned an undergraduate or graduate degree from an institution of higher education on the SBEC-approved list of countries.

<b><u>American Samoa</u></b>	<b>India</b>
<b>Anguilla</b>	<b>Ireland</b>
<b>Antigua and Barbuda</b>	<b>Jamaica</b>
<b>Australia</b>	<b><u>Kenya</u></b>
<b>Bahamas</b>	<b>Liberia</b>
<b>Barbados</b>	<b>New Zealand</b>
<b>Belize</b>	<b>Nigeria</b>
<b>Bermuda</b>	<b><u>Philippines</u></b>
<b>British Virgin Islands</b>	<b>Saint Kitts and Nevis</b>
<b><u>Cameroon</u></b>	<b>Saint Lucia</b>
<b>Canada (except Quebec)</b>	<b>Singapore</b>
<b>Cayman Islands</b>	<b><u>South Africa</u></b>
<b>Dominica</b>	<b>Trinidad/Tobago</b>
<b>Federated States of Micronesia</b>	<b>Turks and Caicos Islands</b>
<b>Gambia</b>	<b><u>Uganda</u></b>
<b>Ghana</b>	<b>United Kingdom</b>
<b>Gibraltar</b>	<b>U.S. Pacific Trust</b>
<b>Grand Cayman</b>	<b><u>Zambia</u></b>
<b>Grenada</b>	<b><u>Zimbabwe</u></b>
<b>Guyana</b>	