Section 176.4(b) is amended as follows:

(b) an approved real estate broker's course

Before enrolling a student into an approved broker's course, the education coordinator must be provided with evidence of a signed statement from the student indicating that he/she has successfully completed the salesperson's course. Proof of the student's completion of the prerequisite course must be kept on file by the education coordinator. The following are the required subjects to be included in the course of study in real estate for licensure as a real estate broker and the required number of hours to be devoted to each subject:

Broker's Course

Subject Matter	Hours	
[Broker's officeoperation, management and supervision	10	
Real estate agency disclosure (review)	4	
General Business Law	5	
Real estate finance II	5	
Real estate investment	5	
Real property management	5	
Conveyance of real property and title closing and costs (review)	3	
Construction and development		
Taxes and assessments	2	
Local concerns ^{a1}	2]	

Agency Law, License Law and Operating a Real Estate Office	hours
Real Estate Finance	hours
Real Property Investment	hours
General Business Law	hours
Construction and Development	hours
Conveyance of Real Property	l hour
Real Property Management4	hours
Taxes and Assessments	l hour
Advanced Fair Housing and Fair Lending	hours
Achieving Transactional Agreements through Transaction Analysis6	hours
Local Issues and Concerns *	hours

· Cease and desist regulations

· Nonsolicitation orders

· Illegal entities/conversions

- · Rent regulations (rent control, rent stabilization)
- · Farm land
- · Forestry
- · Sign ordinances
- · Zoning
- · Waterfront property
- · Wetlands/restrictions
- · Environment problems in an area

· Role of real estate professionals in the community

 \cdot Property values impact on the economy

· Impact of government on property values

[a1] * Program coordinators are not limited to these topics. They must, however, submit an outline and learning objectives for the two hours that will be presented to students. The outline and learning objectives must explain how local issues and concerns impact property values.

All approved instructors must use this course syllabus in conducting their program.