STATE	PRE-LICENSURE EDUCATION	CONTINUING EDUCATION	SAFE MLO TEST	CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK	CREDIT REPORT
CA-DRE	All new applicants on or after 9/01/2010 must have completed 20 hours of NMLS approved prelicensure education. Existing real estate licensees will not need 20 hours of NMLS approved pre-license education if all other MLO requirements are met by 8/31/2010. *A real estate license is needed in order to qualify as a MLO through CA-DRE. Specific state approved courses will continue to be required to obtain a real estate license. CERTIFICATION Currently licensed MLOs who have completed at least 20 hours of CA-DRE state approved education on or before 8/31/2010 may be eligible to participate in the PE certification process and may not need to take the NMLS approved pre-licensure education. Refer to your state agency for more information.	All licensees must take 8 hours of NMLS approved continuing education in 2011 in order to renew for 2012.	Existing licensees must pass the National and State Component of the SAFE MLO Test by 9/15/2010 in order to be issued a MLO license endorsement by 1/1/2011.	All applicants must submit fingerprints through NMLS for a criminal background check by 9/15/2010 in order to be issued a MLO license endorsement by 1/1/2011.	All licensees will be required to authorize a credit report through NMLS between October 2010 and March 1, 2011.