

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Education.

HB22-1220 be amended as follows:

1 Amend printed bill, page 14, line 6, strike "portion and (5)(a)(I);" and
2 substitute "portion, (5)(a)(I), and (7);".

3 Page 14, after line 25 insert:

4 "(7) **Interim authorization.** (a) An interim authorization
5 authorizes a school district to employ a person who is:

6 (I) Certified or licensed, or is eligible for certification or
7 licensure, as a teacher, principal, or administrator in another state and
8 who has not successfully completed the assessment of professional
9 competencies to obtain an initial license under section 22-60.5-201 (1)(b),
10 22-60.5-301 (1)(a), or 22-60.5-306 (1)(a) but who meets the other
11 requirements for an initial license specified in said sections; OR

12 (II) SEEKING AN ALTERNATIVE TEACHER LICENSE PURSUANT TO
13 SECTION 22-60.5-201 (1)(a) AND MEETS THE REQUIREMENTS FOR AN
14 ALTERNATIVE TEACHER LICENSE, EXCEPT THAT THE PERSON HAS NOT
15 SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED THE ASSESSMENT OF PROFESSIONAL
16 COMPETENCIES TO OBTAIN AN ALTERNATIVE TEACHER LICENSE.

17 (b) An interim authorization is valid for one year, and the
18 department of education may renew the authorization for one additional
19 year. The employing school district may include the period during which
20 a person works under an interim authorization toward the three full years
21 of continuous employment necessary to cease being a probationary
22 teacher pursuant to section 22-63-103 (7).

23 ~~(b)~~ (c) A school district that employs a person who holds an
24 interim authorization may provide an induction program for the person,
25 as described in section 22-60.5-204, 22-60.5-304, or 22-60.5-309,
26 whichever is applicable. If the person successfully completes the
27 induction program while employed under the interim authorization, the
28 person may apply completion of the induction program toward meeting
29 the requirements for a professional educator license."

30 Strike "OR" on: **Page 17**, lines 4, 13, and 21; **Page 18**, lines 10 and 22;
31 and **Page 19**, lines 7 and 15.

32 After "SECTION 22-60.5-111 (5)," insert "OR AN INTERIM AUTHORIZATION
33 PURSUANT TO SECTION 22-60.5-111 (7)," on: **Page 17**, lines 5 and 22;
34 **Page 18**, line 23; and **Page 19**, lines 8 and 16.

35 Strike "SECTION 22-60.5-111 (5)." and substitute "SECTION 22-60.5-111
36 (5), OR AN INTERIM AUTHORIZATION PURSUANT TO SECTION 22-60.5-111
37 (7)." on: **Page 17**, line 14; and **Page 18**, line 11.

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