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COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE  
FOR  
SENATE BILL 1473

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[ schools - common competencies and levels of  
performance - effective date -

emergency ]

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 70 O.S. 2001, Section 6-101.21, is amended to read as follows:

Section 6-101.21 A. ~~The~~ On or before September 1, 2004, the State Board of Education, the Oklahoma Commission for Teacher Preparation and the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education shall promulgate standards adopt a common set of professional teaching competencies and levels of performance and conduct for teachers. A copy of such standards the teaching competencies and levels of performance, any amendments to such standards the teaching competencies and levels of performance and any standards teaching competencies and levels of performance adopted by the board of education of the school district shall be provided by the board of education of each school district to each teacher on or before April 10 of each year.

B. The State Board of Education shall include the statutory grounds for dismissal and nonreemployment of career teachers within this ~~standards~~ competency document.

C. ~~Standards~~ Teaching competencies and levels of performance which may be adopted by the board of education of a school district

shall not conflict with state or federal law or ~~standards~~  
~~promulgated~~ the teaching competencies and levels of performance  
adopted by the State Board of Education.

D. In determining whether or not the professional performance of a teacher is adequate, the ~~standards~~ teaching competencies and levels of performance adopted by the State Board of Education shall be considered. Consideration may be given to any written ~~standards~~ teaching competencies and levels of performance which have been adopted by any other education-oriented organization or agency. Professional performance or conduct of a teacher which is in compliance with ~~standards~~ teaching competencies and levels of performance adopted by the State Board of Education or the ~~local~~ district board of education pursuant to Section ~~71~~ 6-101.10 of this ~~act~~ title shall not be considered in support of any dismissal or nonreemployment action against the teacher.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2004.

SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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