

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Extraordinary Session of the 56th Legislature (2017)

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
FOR

HOUSE BILL NO. 1036

By: Wallace and Casey of the
House

and

David and Fields of the
Senate

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An Act relating to teacher pay; providing definition;
making allocation for certain salary increase for
certain teachers; specifying amount of salary
increase; providing for proration of funds for
certain teachers; prohibiting certain use of funds;
providing for disbursement of funds; providing for
codification; and providing for contingent effect
based on prior enactment of Enrolled House Bill No.
1035 of the 1st Extraordinary Session of the 56th
Oklahoma Legislature.

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

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 18-114.15 of Title 70, unless
there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. For purposes of this section, "certified classroom teacher"
means any certified, full-time employee who is employed as a charter

1 school teacher, district-wide teacher, elementary teacher, junior
2 high teacher, middle school teacher, senior high teacher or resource
3 teacher.

4 B. Beginning August 1, 2018, funding for certified classroom
5 teacher salary increases shall be allocated to local public school
6 districts in the amount of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00) per
7 certified classroom teacher, as defined in this section. For
8 certified classroom teachers whose salary is funded partially by
9 federal funds, the salary increase provided for in this section
10 shall be prorated according to the percentage of the salary that is
11 state funded. No part of the amount of Three Thousand Dollars
12 (\$3,000.00) provided for each certified classroom teacher shall be
13 used by school districts to fund the employer contribution payments
14 mandated by Section 17-108.1 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes
15 and the employer Federal Insurance Contributions Act (F.I.C.A.)
16 payments attributable to the salary increase.

17 C. Beginning August 1, 2018, the salary level of each state
18 paid certified classroom teacher shall be increased by at least
19 Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00), unless the hours or the duties
20 of the teacher are reduced proportionately. The salary increase
21 provided for in this section shall be in addition to, and not as a
22 replacement for, the step increase indicated for the certified
23 classroom teacher pursuant to the State Minimum Salary Schedule, as
24 provided for in Section 18-114.14 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma

1 Statutes, and shall not be contingent upon school district adoption
2 of or participation in a merit-based or incentive pay plan for
3 certified classroom teachers. The State Department of Education
4 shall disburse these monies to local school districts on a monthly
5 basis through the State Aid Formula beginning August 1, 2018. To
6 determine the amount of the initial disbursements for each school
7 district, the State Board of Education shall use the data of the
8 number of certified classroom teachers as reported in the final
9 Oklahoma Annual Certified Personnel Report for FY2018.

10 SECTION 2. The provisions of this act shall be contingent upon
11 the enactment of the provisions of Enrolled House Bill No. 1035 of
12 the 1st Extraordinary Session of the 56th Oklahoma Legislature and
13 shall not become operative as law otherwise.

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