

BILL SUMMARY
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Impact:	Please see previous summary of this measure

Research Analysis

The proposed committee substitute modifies the type of teaching certificates issued by the State Department of Education. The measure creates an initial teaching certificate that utilizes current criteria for issuing a teaching certificate and creates and establishes criteria for three new certificates: career, mentor, and a lead teaching certificate. Lead teachers may not carry a teaching load of more than fifty percent to allow time for co-teaching, co-planning, peer reviews, observing career teachers, model teachers and mentor teacher and other duties as agreed to by the superintendent and lead teacher.

Mentor candidate contracts must include an additional ten days to strengthen instructional leadership and be given an annual salary supplement of at least \$3,000 in addition to the minimum salary schedule. Lead candidate contracts must include an additional fifteen days and be given an annual salary supplement of at least \$5,000 in addition to the minimum salary schedule.

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Fiscal Analysis

The measure is currently under review and impact information will be completed.

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Other Considerations

None.