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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
State of Oklahoma

SPEAKER:					
CHAIR:					
I move to amer	nd <u>HB3723</u>		Of th	ne printed Bill	
Page	Section	Lin	es	Engrossed Bill	
By striking the Title, the Enacting Clause, the entire bill, and by inserting in lieu thereof the following language:					
AMEND TITLE TO C	ONFORM TO AMENDMENTS				
		Amendment	submitted by:	John Waldron	

Reading Clerk

1	STATE OF OKLAHOMA			
2	2nd Session of the 58th Legislature (2022)			
3	PROPOSED COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE			
4	FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 3723 By: Waldron			
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8	PROPOSED COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE			
9	An Act relating to teacher compensation; providing for increase in compensation of classroom teachers; prescribing amount of increase; providing increase as additional to certain other compensation and fringe benefits; defining term; providing for codification; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.			
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15	BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:			
16	SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified			
17	in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 18-114.14A of Title 70, unless			
18	there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:			
19	A. Beginning with the 2022-2023 school year, each school			
20	district shall provide to every classroom teacher a salary increase			
21	of twenty percent (20%) over the base amount the employee earned			
22	during the 2021-2022 school year if the classroom teacher is			
23	employed by the same school district for the 2022-2023 school year.			
24	If a classroom teacher is a new employee of the school district, his			

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or her starting salary shall be a twenty-percent increase from the starting salary for the same position during the 2021-2022 school year.

- B. The increase prescribed by this section shall be in addition to any other compensation, increase in compensation, and fringe benefits provided by the school district or state, or mandated by law or collective bargaining agreement, unless the hours or duties of the classroom teacher are reduced proportionately.
- C. For purposes of this section, "classroom teacher" means a teacher as defined in paragraph 1 of Section 1-116 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes, except for superintendents as defined in paragraph 2 of Section 1-116 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes.
 - SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2022.
- SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health or 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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