

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
State of Oklahoma

SPEAKER:

CHAIR:

I move to amend HB1886 _____
Of the printed Bill
Page _____ Section _____ Lines _____
Of the Engrossed Bill

By striking the Title, the Enacting Clause, the entire bill, and by inserting in lieu thereof the following language:

AMEND TITLE TO CONFORM TO AMENDMENTS

Adopted: _____

Amendment submitted by: John Waldron _____

Reading Clerk

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 59th Legislature (2023)

3 PROPOSED COMMITTEE
4 SUBSTITUTE
5 FOR
6 HOUSE BILL NO. 1886

By: Waldron

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9 PROPOSED COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

10 An Act relating to teacher certification; requiring
11 the State Department of Education to code initial
12 teacher certification; creating the Data Governance
13 Council; prescribing duties of Council; providing for
14 membership of Council; establishing deadlines for
15 initial appointment and meeting of Council;
16 prescribing frequency of meetings; setting meeting
17 quorum requirement; providing staffing and support
18 for Council; prohibiting compensation for members of
19 Council; subjecting Council to the Oklahoma Open
20 Meeting Act and Oklahoma Open Records Act; providing
21 exemption from dual office-holding prohibitions;
22 providing for codification; and providing an
23 effective date.

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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 6-188.1 of Title 70, unless
there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

1 The State Department of Education shall develop a system to code
2 initial teacher certification in order to report data on the
3 pathways for initial teacher certification, including emergency
4 certification and full-time adjunct certification.

5 SECTION 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
6 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 6-188.2 of Title 70, unless
7 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

8 A. There is hereby created the Data Governance Council.

9 B. The Council shall:

10 1. Monitor and evaluate the impact of each teacher
11 certification pathway, including emergency certification and full-
12 time adjunct certification, as reported by the State Department of
13 Education pursuant to Section 1 of this act, on education outcomes
14 in the state;

15 2. Identify essential data elements indicative of teacher
16 workforce quality and ensure these elements are appropriately
17 defined and standardized for acceptable uses across certification
18 pathways; and

19 3. Establish best practices in data management and storage
20 processes to ensure security, privacy, and appropriate integration.

21 C. The Council shall be comprised of thirteen (13) members as
22 follows:

23 1. The Chancellor of the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher
24 Education, or designee;

- 1 2. The State Superintendent of Public Instruction, or designee;
- 2 3. The Executive Director of the Office of Educational Quality
- 3 and Accountability, or designee;
- 4 4. One member who is an employee of the State Department of
- 5 Education, designated by the State Superintendent of Public
- 6 Instruction;
- 7 5. One member who is part of an organization or association
- 8 representing school district boards of education in the state,
- 9 appointed by the Speaker of the Oklahoma House of Representatives;
- 10 6. One member who is part of an organization or association
- 11 representing school administrators in the state, appointed by the
- 12 President Pro Tempore of the Oklahoma State Senate;
- 13 7. One member who is an elementary or secondary public school
- 14 teacher in the state, appointed by the Governor;
- 15 8. One member who is a principal from a public prekindergarten
- 16 through twelfth-grade school, appointed by the Speaker of the
- 17 Oklahoma House of Representatives; and
- 18 9. Five members representing deans, directors, or coordinators
- 19 from accredited, university-based educator preparation programs in
- 20 the state, appointed as follows:
- 21 a. two members appointed by the Speaker of the Oklahoma
- 22 House of Representatives,
- 23 b. two members appointed by the President Pro Tempore of
- 24 the Oklahoma State Senate, and

1 c. one member appointed by the Governor.

2 D. Appointments to the Council shall be made by no later than
3 December 1, 2023. The first meeting of the Council shall be called
4 by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction no later than
5 February 1, 2024. At the first meeting, the members of the Council
6 shall elect a chair and vice-chair from among the members. Meetings
7 of the Council shall be held at least quarterly at the call of the
8 chair. Members shall serve at the pleasure of their appointing
9 authorities. A majority of the members of the Council shall
10 constitute a quorum to transact business, but no vacancy shall
11 impair the right of the remaining members to exercise all of the
12 powers of the Council. A vacancy on the Council shall be filled by
13 the original appointing authority. The State Department of
14 Education, Office of Educational Quality and Accountability, and the
15 Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education shall provide staff,
16 support, and information as requested by the Council.

17 E. Members of the Council shall receive no compensation for
18 serving on the Council.

19 F. The Council shall act in accordance with the provisions of
20 the Oklahoma Open Meeting Act and the Oklahoma Open Records Act.

21 G. Members who serve on the Council shall be exempt from the
22 dual-office-holding prohibitions of Section 6 of Title 51 of the
23 Oklahoma Statutes.

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SECTION 3. This act shall become effective November 1, 2023.

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