

Amendment No. 1

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	<u>      </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	<u>      </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	<u>      </u>	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	<u>      </u>	(Y/N)
WITHDRAWN	<u>      </u>	(Y/N)
OTHER	<u>      </u>	

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1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Secondary Education &  
 2 Career Development Subcommittee  
 3 Representative Snyder offered the following:

**Amendment (with directory and title amendments)**

Remove lines 20-112 and insert:

(7) TYPES AND TERMS OF CERTIFICATION.—

(b) The department shall issue a temporary certificate to any applicant who:

1. Completes the requirements outlined in paragraphs

(2) (a)-(f) and completes the subject area content requirements specified in state board rule or demonstrates mastery of subject area knowledge pursuant to subsection (5) and holds an accredited degree or a degree approved by the Department of Education at the level required for the subject area specialization in state board rule; or

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17        2. Documents 48 months of active-duty military service  
18 with an honorable discharge or a medical separation, completes  
19 the requirements outlined in paragraphs (2) (a), (b), (d) - (f) and  
20 the subject area content requirements specified in state board  
21 rule or demonstrates mastery of subject area knowledge pursuant  
22 to subsection (5), documents completion of 60 college credits  
23 with a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.5 on a 4.0  
24 scale, as provided by one or accredited institutions of higher  
25 learning or a nonaccredited institution of higher learning  
26 identified by the Department of Education as having a quality  
27 program resulting in a bachelor's degree or higher, and enrolls  
28 in a teacher preparation program approved pursuant to s.  
29 1004.04.

30        (c) The department shall issue one nonrenewable 2-year  
31 temporary certificate and one nonrenewable 5-year professional  
32 certificate to a qualified applicant who holds a bachelor's  
33 degree in the area of speech-language impairment to allow for  
34 completion of a master's degree program in speech-language  
35 impairment.

36        (d) A temporary certificate holder pursuant to subparagraph  
37 (b)2. must be assigned a teacher mentor for a minimum of 2  
38 school years commencing employment. Each teacher mentor selected  
39 by the school district, charter school, or charter management  
40 organization:

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41 1. Must hold a valid professional certificate issued  
42 pursuant to s. 1012.56;

43 2. Must have earned at least 3 years of teaching experience  
44 in prekindergarten through grade 12; and

45 3. Must have earned an effective or highly effective rating  
46 on the prior year's performance evaluation under s. 1012.34.

47 (e)1. A ~~Each~~ temporary certificate issued under  
48 subparagraph (b)1. is valid for 3 school fiscal years and is  
49 nonrenewable.

50 2. A temporary certificate issued under subparagraph  
51 (b)2. is valid for 5 school fiscal years, is limited to a one-  
52 time issuance, and is nonrenewable.

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55 **D I R E C T O R Y A M E N D M E N T**

56 Remove lines 17-18 and insert:

57 Section 1. Paragraph (b) of subsection (7) of section  
58 1012.56, Florida Statutes, is amended and a new paragraph (d) is  
59 added to that section, to read:

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62 **T I T L E A M E N D M E N T**

63 Remove lines 3-11 and insert:

64 veterans; amending s. 1012.56, F.S.; authorizing the Department  
65 of Education to issue a temporary certificate to specified

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66 military servicemembers who have completed a specified education  
67 requirement and are enrolled in a specified program; requiring a  
68 teacher mentorship for specified military servicemembers;  
69 specifying the duration and issuance of a temporary certificate  
70 for specified military servicemembers; amending s.  
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