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SENATE BILL 74

44TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 1999

INTRODUCED BY

William H. Payne

AN ACT

RELATING TO EDUCATION; PROVIDING SALARY INCREASES AND REIMBURSEMENT FOR EXAMINATION EXPENSES FOR TEACHERS WHO ARE CERTIFIED BY THE NATIONAL BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL TEACHING STANDARDS; ENACTING A NEW SECTION OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CODE; MAKING AN APPROPRIATION.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. A new section of the Public School Code is enacted to read:

" NEW MATERIAL TEACHERS CERTIFIED BY THE NATIONAL BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL TEACHING STANDARDS--SALARY INCREASE-- REIMBURSEMENT FOR EXAMINATION EXPENSE.--A teacher who takes the examination to become certified by the national board for professional teaching standards shall have his salary increased by twenty percent and shall be reimbursed for the

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1 examination expense of two thousand dollars (\$2,000), if:

2 A. the teacher passes the examination and is
3 certified by the national board for professional teaching
4 standards; and

5 B. the teacher prepared for the examination on his
6 own time and not during regular school hours. "

7 Section 2. APPROPRIATION. -- Three hundred thousand
8 dollars (\$300,000) is appropriated from the general fund to
9 the state department of public education for expenditure in
10 fiscal year 2000 for the purpose of making equitable
11 distributions to school districts for the expenses incurred by
12 school districts when teachers are certified by the national
13 board for professional teaching standards. Any unexpended or
14 unencumbered balance remaining at the end of fiscal year 2000
15 shall revert to the general fund.

16 Section 3. EFFECTIVE DATE. -- The effective date of the
17 provisions of this act is July 1, 1999.

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5 February 26, 1999

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7 Mr. President:

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9 Your EDUCATION COMMITTEE, to whom has been referred

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11 SENATE BILL 74

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14 has had it under consideration and reports same with
15 recommendation that it DO PASS, amended as follows:

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17 1. On page 2, line 6, after "time" insert ", except for
18 board-related in-class requirements,".

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20 2. On page 2, strike lines 7 through 15 in their entirety
21 and insert in lieu thereof the following new section to read:

22 "Section 2. A new section of the Public School Finance
23 Act is enacted to read:

24 "[NEW MATERIAL] NATIONAL BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL TEACHING
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STANDARDS--CERTIFIED TEACHERS PROGRAM UNITS.--The number of
program units for teachers certified by the national board for
professional teaching standards is determined by multiplying by
three the number of such certified instructors employed by the
school district on or before the fortieth day of the school year
and verified by the department. Department approval of these
units shall be contingent on verification by the school district
that these teachers are receiving a one-time salary differential
equal to or greater than the amount generated by the units
multiplied by the program unit value during the fiscal year in
which the school district will receive these units."

and thence referred to the **FINANCE COMMITTEE.**

Respectfully submitted,

Cynthia Nava, Chairman

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7 The roll call vote was 6 For 0 Against

8 Yes: 6

9 No: 0

10 Excused: Boitano, Duran, Jennings, Lopez

11 Absent: None

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8 Mr. President:

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10 Your FINANCE COMMITTEE, to whom has been referred

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12 SENATE BILL 74, as amended

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14 has had it under consideration and reports same with
15 recommendation that it DO PASS.
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Yes: 7

No: 0

Excused: Campos, Carraro, Griego, Ingle, McKibben, Wilson

Absent: None

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SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENT number _____ to SENATE BILL 74, as amended

Amendment sponsored by Senator William H. Payne

1. On page 1, line 14, after "ENACTING" strike "A NEW SECTION OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CODE" and insert in lieu thereof "NEW SECTIONS OF THE NMSA 1978".

2. On page 1, line 25, strike "by twenty percent" and insert in lieu thereof "pursuant to the provisions of Section 2 of this act".

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