

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
State of Oklahoma

SPEAKER:

CHAIR:

I move to amend HB2488 _____
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: Charles McCall _____

Reading Clerk

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 57th Legislature (2019)

3 PROPOSED COMMITTEE
4 SUBSTITUTE
5 FOR
6 HOUSE BILL NO. 2488

By: McCall

7 PROPOSED COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

8 An Act relating to schools; amending Section 3,
9 Chapter 394, O.S.L. 2013, as last amended by Section
10 1, Chapter 10, 2nd Extraordinary Session, O.S.L. 2018
11 (70 O.S. Supp. 2018, Section 18-114.14), which
12 relates to the minimum salary schedule; modifying
13 provisions related to employment of retired teachers;
14 providing for applicability of minimum salary
15 schedule without regard to receipt of retirement
16 benefits; specifying certain salary amount based on
17 years of experience and degree; providing an
18 effective date; and declaring an emergency.

19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

20 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY Section 3, Chapter 394, O.S.L.
21 2013, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 10, 2nd Extraordinary
22 Session, O.S.L. 2018 (70 O.S. Supp. 2018, Section 18-114.14), is
23 amended to read as follows:

24 Section 18-114.14 A. Beginning with the 2018-2019 school year,
certified personnel, as defined in Section 26-103 of this title, in
the public schools of Oklahoma shall receive in salary and/or fringe

1 benefits not less than the amounts specified in the following
2 schedule:

3 MINIMUM SALARY SCHEDULE

4 National

5	Years of	Bachelor's	Board	Master's	Doctor's
6	Experience	Degree	Certification	Degree	Degree
7	0	\$36,601	\$37,759	\$37,991	\$39,381
8	1	\$37,035	\$38,193	\$38,425	\$39,815
9	2	\$37,469	\$38,628	\$38,859	\$40,249
10	3	\$37,904	\$39,062	\$39,294	\$40,684
11	4	\$38,338	\$39,496	\$39,728	\$41,118
12	5	\$38,810	\$39,968	\$40,200	\$41,590
13	6	\$39,273	\$40,432	\$40,663	\$42,054
14	7	\$39,737	\$40,895	\$41,127	\$42,517
15	8	\$40,200	\$41,358	\$41,590	\$42,980
16	9	\$40,663	\$41,822	\$42,054	\$43,444
17	10	\$41,684	\$42,844	\$43,568	\$45,945
18	11	\$42,177	\$43,336	\$44,061	\$46,438
19	12	\$42,670	\$43,829	\$44,554	\$46,931
20	13	\$43,162	\$44,322	\$45,047	\$47,424
21	14	\$43,655	\$44,815	\$45,539	\$47,916
22	15	\$44,167	\$45,327	\$46,052	\$48,430
23	16	\$44,660	\$45,820	\$46,545	\$48,923
24	17	\$45,153	\$46,313	\$47,038	\$49,416

1	18	\$45,646	\$46,806	\$47,531	\$49,909
2	19	\$46,139	\$47,299	\$48,024	\$50,402
3	20	\$46,652	\$47,813	\$48,538	\$50,917
4	21	\$47,145	\$48,306	\$49,031	\$51,410
5	22	\$47,639	\$48,799	\$49,524	\$51,903
6	23	\$48,132	\$49,292	\$50,018	\$52,397
7	24	\$48,625	\$49,785	\$50,511	\$52,890
8	25	\$50,049	\$51,232	\$51,971	\$54,395

9 Master's Degree +
10 Years of National Board
11 Experience Certification

12	0	\$39,149
13	1	\$39,583
14	2	\$40,018
15	3	\$40,452
16	4	\$40,886
17	5	\$41,358
18	6	\$41,822
19	7	\$42,285
20	8	\$42,749
21	9	\$43,212
22	10	\$44,728
23	11	\$45,221
24	12	\$45,713

1	13	\$46,206
2	14	\$46,699
3	15	\$47,212
4	16	\$47,705
5	17	\$48,198
6	18	\$48,691
7	19	\$49,184
8	20	\$49,698
9	21	\$50,192
10	22	\$50,685
11	23	\$51,178
12	24	\$51,671
13	25	\$53,153

14 B. 1. When determining the Minimum Salary Schedule, "fringe
15 benefits" shall mean all or part of retirement benefits, excluding
16 the contributions made pursuant to subsection A of Section 17-108.1
17 of this title and the flexible benefit allowance pursuant to Section
18 26-105 of this title from the flexible benefit allowance funds
19 disbursed by the State Board of Education and the State Board of
20 Career and Technology Education pursuant to Section 26-104 of this
21 title.

22 2. If a school district intends to provide retirement benefits
23 to a teacher such that the teacher's salary would be less than the
24 amounts set forth in the minimum salary schedule specified in

1 subsection A of this section, the district shall be required to
2 provide written notification to the teacher prior to his or her
3 employment or, if already employed by the district, no later than
4 thirty (30) days prior to the date the district elects to provide
5 retirement benefits such that the teacher's salary would be less
6 than the minimum salary schedule.

7 C. Any of the degrees referred to in this section shall be from
8 a college recognized by the State Board of Education. The Board
9 shall accept teaching experience from out-of-state school districts
10 that are accredited by the state board of education or appropriate
11 state accrediting agency for the districts. The Board shall accept
12 teaching experience from out-of-country schools that are accredited
13 or otherwise endorsed by the appropriate national or regional
14 accrediting or endorsement authority. Out-of-country certification
15 documentation in a language other than English shall be analyzed by
16 an educational credential evaluation service in accordance with
17 industry standards and guidelines and approved by the State
18 Department of Education. The person seeking to have credit granted
19 for out-of-country teaching experience shall be responsible for all
20 costs of the analysis by a credential evaluation service. The Board
21 shall accept teaching experience from primary and secondary schools
22 that are operated by the United States Department of Defense or are
23 affiliated with the United States Department of State.

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1 D. For the purpose of state salary increments and retirement,
2 no teacher shall be granted credit for more than five (5) years of
3 active duty in the military service or out-of-state or out-of-
4 country teaching experience as a certified teacher or its
5 equivalent. Nothing in this section shall prohibit boards of
6 education from crediting more years of experience on district salary
7 schedules than those allowed for state purposes.

8 E. The State Board of Education shall recognize, for purposes
9 of certification and salary increments, all the years of experience
10 of a:

11 1. Certified teacher who teaches in the educational program of
12 the Department of Corrections, beginning with fiscal year 1981;

13 2. Vocational rehabilitation counselor under the Department of
14 Human Services if the counselor was employed as a certified teacher
15 by the State Department of Education when the Division of Vocational
16 Rehabilitation was transferred from the State Board of Career and
17 Technology Education or the State Board of Education to the Oklahoma
18 Public Welfare Commission on July 1, 1968;

19 3. Vocational rehabilitation counselor which were completed
20 while employed by the Department of Human Services if such counselor
21 was certified as a teacher or was eligible for certification as a
22 teacher in Oklahoma;

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1 4. Certified teacher which were completed while employed by the
2 Department of Human Services Child Study Center at University
3 Hospital, if the teacher was certified as a teacher in Oklahoma; and

4 5. Certified school psychologist or psychometrist which were
5 completed while employed as a doctoral intern, psychological
6 assistant, or psychologist with any agency of the State of Oklahoma
7 if the experience primarily involved work with persons of school- or
8 preschool-age and if the person was, at the time the experience was
9 acquired, certified as, or eligible for certification as, a school
10 psychologist or psychometrist.

11 F. The provisions of this section shall ~~not apply~~ be applicable
12 to teachers who have entered into postretirement employment with a
13 public school in Oklahoma ~~and are still~~ whether or not the teacher
14 is receiving a monthly retirement benefit. For purposes of this
15 subsection, the minimum salary amount shall be Thirty Thousand
16 Dollars (\$30,000.00).

17 G. If a person employed as certified personnel, as defined in
18 Section 26-103 of this title, by a school district during the 2017-
19 2018 school year was receiving a salary above the step level
20 indicated by the State Minimum Salary Schedule for the 2017-2018
21 school year, the person shall receive a salary increase amount equal
22 to the amount indicated in subsection A for the step level indicated
23 for the person, provided they remain employed by the same district,
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1 unless the hours or the duties of the certified personnel are
2 reduced proportionately.

3 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2019.

4 SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
5 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby
6 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
7 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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