

BILL SUMMARY
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Bill No.:	SB 467
Version:	ENGR
Request Number:	
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Impact:	No Impact

Research Analysis

The Engrossed version of SB 467 creates the Interstate Teacher Mobility Compact Act which will allow teachers to move through a collective regulatory framework amongst member states, and expedite teachers' ability to move and work across state lines.

The measure creates the Interstate Teacher Mobility Compact Commission which is a joint interstate governmental agency, to which each state may appoint one delegate. The Commission may elect an executive committee from its own membership.

Each member state shall create a list of eligible licenses that it is willing to consider for equivalency. The list shall include those licenses that a receiving state is willing to grant to teachers from other member states, pending a determination of equivalency by the receiving state's licensing authority. Upon receipt of an application for licensure the receiving state shall determine which of the receiving state's eligible licenses the teacher is qualified to hold and shall grant the license(s) or certification(s) to the applicant. The determination shall be made in the sole discretion of the receiving state's licensing authority and may include a determination that the applicant is not eligible for any of the receiving state's eligible licenses.

A teacher eligible to receive a license or certification pursuant to the Interstate Teacher Mobility Compact shall undergo a criminal background check, and provide the receiving state with additional information for the purpose of determining compensation.

Member states shall be authorized to receive and shall provide files and information regarding the investigation and discipline, if any, of teachers in other member states upon request.

The Commission may levy on and collect an annual assessment from each member state or impose fees on other parties to cover the cost of the operations and activities of the Commission, in accordance with Commission rules.

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Fiscal Analysis

As written, the measure is not anticipated to result in a negative fiscal impact on the state budget or appropriations.

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Other Considerations

None.

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