

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 59th Legislature (2023)

SENATE BILL 525

By: Pugh

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to teachers; requiring certain teachers who take and pass certain examination to be reimbursed certain amount; providing for codification; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

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 6-101.9 of Title 70, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A teacher who is certified pursuant to Section 6-122.3 or 6-187 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes and who, at the request of the employing school district, takes and passes a subject area competency examination required by Section 6-187 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes to earn certification and teach an additional subject in the school district shall be reimbursed by the school district. The reimbursement shall be an amount equal to the cost of the subject area competency examination.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2023.

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

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