

**Sixty-seventh Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 5, 2021**

HOUSE BILL NO. 1188
(Representatives Schreiber-Beck, D. Johnson)
(Senator Oban)

AN ACT to amend and reenact section 15.1-02-16 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a certificate of completion for special education technicians; and to declare an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Section 15.1-02-16 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

15.1-02-16. Superintendent of public instruction - Issuance of credentials to teachers and administrators.

The superintendent of public instruction may adopt rules governing the issuance of:

1. Credentials for teachers of driver's education;
2. Credentials for teachers of early childhood special education;
3. Credentials for elementary school principals;
4. Credentials for teachers of students who are emotionally disturbed;
5. Credentials for teachers of students who are gifted and talented;
6. Credentials for secondary school principals;
7. Credentials for library media;
8. Credentials for teachers of title I;
9. Credentials for teachers of students who have intellectual disabilities;
10. Credentials for teachers of students who are physically disabled;
11. Credentials for coordinators of programs for students with limited English proficiency;
12. Credentials for school counselors;
13. Credentials for special education directors;
14. Credentials for special education strategists;
15. Credentials for teachers of students who have specific learning disabilities;
16. Credentials for superintendents;
17. Credentials for teachers of students who have vision impairments;
18. Credentials for teachers of students who are deaf or hard of hearing;
19. Credentials for teachers of computer and cyber science; and
20. ~~Certificate~~Certificates of completion for special education technicians; and

21. Certificates of completion for paraprofessionals.

SECTION 2. EMERGENCY. This Act is declared to be an emergency measure.

Kim A. Hoeghman
Speaker of the House

B. Spd
President of the Senate

Buell J. Reek
Chief Clerk of the House

Handa Mogen
Secretary of the Senate

This certifies that the within bill originated in the House of Representatives of the Sixty-seventh Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as House Bill No. 1188 and that two-thirds of the members-elect of the House of Representatives voted in favor of said law.

Vote: Yeas 88 Nays 3 Absent 3

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This certifies that two-thirds of the members-elect of the Senate voted in favor of said law.

Vote: Yeas 44 Nays 2 Absent 1

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President of the Senate

Handa Mogen
Secretary of the Senate

Received by the Governor at 11:40 AM. on March 24, 2021.

Approved at 6:06 PM. on March 25, 2021.

Dora Bergman
Governor

Filed in this office this 26th day of March, 2021,
at 9:38 o'clock A. M.

Abigail Degen
Secretary of State