

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 279

Effective ~~Approved~~ June 10, 1989

WHEREAS, House Bill 89-H6121 would prohibit the board of regents from not issuing a teaching certificate for elementary and secondary education based solely on a person's test score on a standardized teachers examination, and

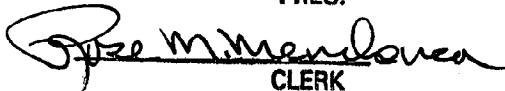
WHEREAS, A person who scores below a present level on an examination may be required to undergo a successful job performance review after three years of teaching to maintain certification,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Members of the Providence City Council hereby endorse House Bill 89-H6121, presently pending before the Committee on Health, Education and Welfare, relative to An Act Relating to Education - Certification of Teachers.

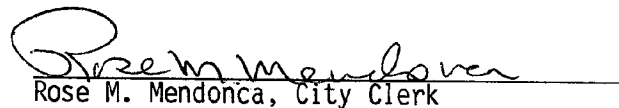
IN CITY COUNCIL
JUN 1 1989

READ AND PASSED


PRES.


CLERK

Effective without the Mayor's signature


Rose M. Mendonca, City Clerk

IN CITY COUNCIL
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FIRST READING
REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON

ORDINANCES

R. M. Mendoza CLERK

THE COMMITTEE ON

ORDINANCES

Approves Passage of
The Within Resolution

R. M. Mendoza
Clerk Chairman

May 15, 1989

Councilman Lopez, Councilman Pallares
& Councilwoman Young

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89- H 6121

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 1989

A N A C T

RELATING TO EDUCATION -- CERTIFICATION
OF TEACHERS

89-H 6121

Introduced By: Reps. Metts, Corkery,
Hernandez, Johnson and EganDate Introduced: February 14, 1989Referred To: Committee on Health,
Education and Welfare

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. CHAPTER 16-11 OF THE GENERAL LAWS ENTITLED "CERTIFI-
2 CATION OF TEACHERS" IS HEREBY AMENDED BY ADDING THERETO THE FOLLOWING
3 SECTION:
4 16-11-2.3. Standardized testing -- Issuance of certificates. --
5 (a) No person shall be barred from certification under this chapter
6 solely because of his or her score on any standardized teachers exami-
7 nation. The board of regents for elementary and secondary education
8 may require those persons who score below a present level on such an
9 examination to undergo a successful job performance review after three
10 (3) years of teaching in order to maintain their certification.
11 (b) Nothing contained herein shall be construed to require the
12 board of regents to administer any written examination to persons
13 seeking certification.
14 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION

BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

89- H 6121 OF
AN ACT

RELATING TO EDUCATION -- CERTIFICATION
OF TEACHERS

1 This act would prohibit the board of regents from not issu-
2 ing a teaching certificate for elementary and secondary education
3 based solely on a persons test score on a standardized teachers
4 examination. A person who scores below a preset level on an
5 examination may be required to undergo a successful job perfor-
6 mance review after three years of teaching to maintain certifica-
7 tion.

8 This act would take effect upon passage.

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COPIES OF RESOLUTION AND LETTERS SENT TO THE FOLLOWING:

Majority Leader Thomas A. Lamb
Speaker of the House Joseph DeAngelis
Lieutenant Governor Roger N. Begin
Governor Edward D. DiPrete
Senator David H. Sholes
Minority Leader Bradford Gorham

June 27, 1989

Enclosed is certified copy of Resolution No. 279,
effective without the Mayor's signature, June 10, 1989.

Councilman Lopes, Councilman Rollins and Councilwoman
Young sponsored said Resolution.

Very truly yours,

Rose M. Mendonca
City Clerk

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State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER, PROVIDENCE

Edward D. DiPrete
Governor

September 1, 1989

Ms. Rose M. Mendonca
City Clerk
Department of City Clerk
City Hall
Providence, Rhode Island

Dear Ms. Mendonca:

I am writing to you to acknowledge receipt on June 28 of Resolution No. 279. I forwarded the copy of the Resolution to the Governor for his information.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

Nancy C. Rhodes
Policy Analyst

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