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HOUSE BILL 01-1215

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) White, Bacon, Boyd, Hefley, Jahn, Mace, Snook, Spence, Tapia, and Williams S.;
also SENATOR(S) Anderson and Tupa.

CONCERNING A LIMITATION ON INFORMATION IN SCHOOL REPORTS
CONCERNING THE PERCENTAGE OF TEACHERS TEACHING IN A SUBJECT
IN WHICH THE TEACHER RECEIVED A DEGREE.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:

SECTION 1. The introductory portion to 22-7-605 (6) (c) (I), Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended, and the said 22-7-605 (6) (c) is further amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SUBPARAGRAPH, to read:

22-7-605. School report cards - format. (6) Staff information. The report card shall contain a page clearly marked as the "About Our Staff" page in large font which shall contain the following information:

(c) **Professional experience of teachers.** The "About Our Staff" page shall also contain the subtitle, "Professional Experience of Teachers". Immediately underneath this subtitle shall be a table with three columns:

Capital letters indicate new material added to existing statute; dashes through the words indicate deletions from existing statutes and such material not part of act.

(I) FOR REPORT CARDS FOR HIGH SCHOOLS, MIDDLE SCHOOLS, AND JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLS, the first column shall contain the following seven lines:

(I.5) FOR REPORT CARDS FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS, THE FIRST COLUMN SHALL CONTAIN THE FOLLOWING SIX LINES:

(A) "AVERAGE YEARS OF TEACHING EXPERIENCE";

(B) "TEACHERS' AVERAGE DAYS ABSENT";

(C) "NUMBER OF TEACHERS WHO LEFT THE SCHOOL AND SCHOOL DISTRICT LAST YEAR";

(D) "TEACHERS WITH TENURE"; FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SUB-SUBPARAGRAPH (D), THE DATA USED SHALL DESCRIBE TEACHERS WHO HAVE OBTAINED NONPROBATIONARY STATUS PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF PART 2 OF ARTICLE 63 OF THIS TITLE;

(E) "TEACHERS WITHOUT TENURE"; FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SUB-SUBPARAGRAPH (E), THE DATA USED SHALL REFLECT TEACHERS WHO HAVE NOT OBTAINED NONPROBATIONARY STATUS PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF PART 2 OF ARTICLE 63 OF THIS TITLE;

(F) "NUMBER OF PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAYS";

SECTION 2. Safety clause. The general assembly hereby finds,

determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.

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