

SENATE BILL No. 228

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: Noncode.

Synopsis: Study committee on teacher salary grid. Urges the legislative council to assign an appropriate interim study committee (study committee) the topic of options for the establishment of a statewide salary grid for kindergarten through grade 12 teachers. Specifies that the study committee should consider adjustments for: (1) inflation; (2) cost of living variances across the state; (3) years of experience; (4) degree of education; (5) teacher evaluation ratings; (6) certifications, if any; (7) teachers who teach high demand subjects; (8) participation in extracurricular programs; or (9) any other factor that the interim study committee considers relevant to teacher salaries.

Effective: Upon passage.

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January 16, 2020, read first time and referred to Committee on Education and Career Development.



Second Regular Session of the 121st General Assembly (2020)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2019 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning education.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE] (a) **The legislative**
- 2 **council is urged to assign to an appropriate interim study**
- 3 **committee the topic of whether a statewide salary grid for teachers**
- 4 **should be established for kindergarten through grade 12 teachers.**
- 5 **The interim study committee should consider whether any**
- 6 **recommended statewide salary grid should include adjustments to**
- 7 **the salary grid for:**
 - 8 (1) **inflation;**
 - 9 (2) **cost of living variances across the state;**
 - 10 (3) **years of experience;**
 - 11 (4) **degree of education;**
 - 12 (5) **teacher evaluation ratings;**
 - 13 (6) **certifications, if any;**
 - 14 (7) **teachers who teach high demand subjects;**
 - 15 (8) **participation in extracurricular programs; or**
 - 16 (9) **any other factor that the interim study committee**
 - 17 **considers relevant to teacher salaries.**
- 18 (b) **The interim study committee shall include its**



1 **recommendations in the interim study committee's final report.**
2 **(c) This SECTION expires January 1, 2021.**
3 **SECTION 2. An emergency is declared for this act.**

