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1.1 A bill for an act  
1.2 relating to education; creating a pilot for short-call substitute teachers.

1.3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.4 Section 1. **SHORT-CALL SUBSTITUTE TEACHER PILOT.**

1.5 (a) A school district may employ a person who meets the professional requirements of  
1.6 Minnesota Statutes, section 122A.181, subdivision 2, paragraph (b), as a short-call substitute  
1.7 teacher in any content area, not only career and technical education, notwithstanding any  
1.8 licensing requirements in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 122A. A school district must request  
1.9 a background check in accordance with section 123B.03 on a short-call substitute teacher  
1.10 employed under this section. Each assignment to replace a teacher of record must last no  
1.11 longer than 15 consecutive school days.

1.12 (b) A district must report to the Professional Educator Licensing and Standards Board  
1.13 all persons it employs under this section and affirm that each person meets the professional  
1.14 requirements for a short-call substitute teacher.

1.15 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective for the 2020-2021, 2021-2022, and  
1.16 2022-2023 school years only.