

1 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION**

2 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

3 1st Session of the 56th Legislature (2017)

4 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
5 FOR
6 HOUSE BILL NO. 1362

By: Goodwin of the House

and

Bice of the Senate

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11 An Act relating to schools; requiring State
12 Department of Education to publish certain annual
13 report regarding emergency certificates; setting
14 forth information to be included in report; requiring
15 report to be made available on Department's website
16 by certain date each year for the next five years;
17 providing an effective date; and declaring an
18 emergency.

19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

20 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
21 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 6-187.1 of Title 70, unless
22 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

23 A. The State Department of Education shall be required to
24 publish an annual report which contains the following information

1 regarding the issuance of emergency certificates for the preceding
2 school year:

3 1. The total number of emergency certificates issued in the
4 state;

5 2. An identification number for each teacher who received an
6 emergency certificate in the state;

7 3. For each teacher identified in paragraph 2 of this
8 subsection:

9 a. the school district in which he or she was assigned,

10 b. the specific school in which he or she was assigned,

11 c. demographic information including student poverty
12 levels, racial composition, and disability percentages
13 at the specific school in which he or she was
14 assigned, and

15 d. the subject matter taught; and

16 4. The total time period in which he or she taught under an
17 emergency certificate.

18 B. The report shall be made available by June 30 of each year
19 for the next five (5) years on the Department's website.

20 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2017.

21 SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
22 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby
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1 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
2 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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4 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON COMMON EDUCATION, dated 02/28/2017
5 - DO PASS, As Amended and Coauthored.

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