

HOUSE BILL 1764

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49,
Chapter 1 and Title 49, Chapter 5, relative to
educator licensure.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-5-108(c), is amended by adding the following as a new subdivision:

(6) Notwithstanding any other law, a supervisor, principal, or public school teacher shall not be required to take an assessment to advance or renew a license, or to initially obtain a practitioner level teaching license, if at the time of application for an initial license, the supervisor, principal, or public school teacher possessed the equivalent of a practitioner level teaching license in a state that has a reciprocal agreement with the state board of education pursuant to § 49-5-109.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2018, the public welfare requiring it, and shall apply to applications submitted on or after that date.