

General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 34



Referred to Committee on EDUCATION

Introduced by: SEN. SOMERS, 18th Dist.

AN ACT ALLOWING TRADESPEOPLE AND HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS TO CREDIT WORK EXPERIENCE TOWARD TEACHER CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That title 10 of the general statutes be amended to allow the work
- 2 experience of tradespeople and health care professionals to be credited
- 3 toward teacher certification requirements to teach a course related to
- 4 such person or professional's field.

Statement of Purpose:

To allow tradespeople and health care professionals to receive credit for work experience toward earning a teacher certification to aid in filling a shortage in trade school teachers.