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Sectional Analysis

HB 147

An Act relating to teacher certificates for retired teachers

*Section 1: Amends AS 14.20.020(g)

That the department shall issue, at no cost to the person, a teacher certificate to a person who possessed a valid Alaska teacher certificate upon retirement. A teacher certificate issued under this subsection is valid for the life of the retired teacher and qualifies the holder as a substitute teacher in the state.

A teacher certified under this subsection may teach as a long-term substitute teacher for not more than 165 consecutive days of a school term. In this subsection, "long-term substitute teacher" means a teacher who is employed in the state to substitute teach for more than 20 consecutive days of a school term.

*Section 2: Amends the uncodified law of the State of Alaska by adding a new section to read:

Applicability. This act applies to a contract or collective bargaining agreement that becomes legally binding on or after the effective date of this Act.