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1 IN THE SENATE

BY THE RULES COMMITTEE BY
REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

2 SENATE BILL NO. 470

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SIXTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to salaries of teachers and school
7 officials; and providing for an effective date."

8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

9 * Section 1. AS 14.20.220(d) is repealed and re-enacted to read:

10 (d) The department, as the operating agency of schools outside
11 borough and city school districts, shall pay a teacher employed by
12 the state a salary not less than that set out in this subsection.

13 (1) The base salary of a teacher with 90 or more semester
14 hours of college credit approved by the department is \$7,500. This
15 salary is augmented by the sum of .03 times the base for each year of
16 public or non-public school experience in the state up to and including
17 four years.

18 (2) The base salary of a teacher holding a bachelor's
19 degree and a regular teaching certificate is \$9,000. This salary is
20 augmented by the sum of .05 times the base for each year of public
21 school experience in the state up to and including six years. Subject
22 to approval by the State Board of Education, the salary shall be
23 further augmented by the sum of .05 times the base for each year of
24 public school experience in the state up to and including 12 years.

25 (3) The base salary of a teacher holding a bachelor's
26 degree, 18 semester hours beyond the degree approved by the department
27 and a regular teaching certificate is \$9,300. This salary is
28 augmented by the sum of .055 times the base for each year of public
29 school experience in the state up to and including eight years.

1 Subject to approval by the State Board of Education, the salary shall
2 be further augmented by the sum of .055 times the base for each year
3 of public school experience in the state up to and including 14 years.

4 (4) The base salary of a teacher holding a master's degree
5 and a regular teaching certificate is \$9,700. This salary shall be
6 augmented by the sum of .06 times the base for each year of public
7 school experience in the state up to and including nine years.

8 Subject to approval by the State Board of Education, the salary shall
9 be further augmented by the sum of .06 times the base for each year of
10 public school experience in the state up to and including 15 years.

11 (5) The base salary of a teacher holding a master's degree,
12 18 semester hours beyond the degree approved by the department and a
13 regular teaching certificate is \$10,000. This salary is augmented
14 by the sum of .065 times the base for each year of public school
15 experience up to and including 10 years. Subject to approval by the
16 State Board of Education, the salary shall be further augmented by
17 the sum of .065 times the base for each year of public school
18 experience in the state up to and including 16 years.

19 (6) The base salary shall be increased to \$400 for teachers
20 in the central area, and by \$800 for teachers in the northwest area.

21 * Sec. 2. AS 14.20.220(e) is amended to read:

22 (e) Not more than six [FOUR] years of public or non-public
23 school experience outside the state may be substituted for a like
24 period of public school experience in the state when a teacher with
25 less than a master's degree is employed [TEACHER'S POSITION ON THE
26 SALARY SCALE IS ESTABLISHED]. Not more than six years of non-public
school experience in the state may be substituted for a like period of
27 public school experience in the state when a teacher with less than a
28 master's degree is employed. Not more than eight years of public
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1 school experience outside the state may be substituted for a like
2 period of public school experience in the state when a teacher with a
3 master's degree or higher is employed.

4 * Sec. 3. AS 14.20 is amended by adding a new section to read:

5 Sec. 14.20.225. CONTRACTUAL PERIODS. The contractual period
6 for a qualified teacher employed by the state shall not be less than

7 (1) 180 teaching days and three in-service education days
8 for a teacher whose salary is augmented by credit for up to and
9 including eight years public school experience in the state;

10 (2) 180 teaching days and seven in-service education days
11 for a teacher whose salary is augmented by credit for up to and
12 including 12 years public school experience in the state;

13 (3) 180 teaching days and eleven in-service education
14 days for a teacher whose salary is augmented by credit for up to and
15 including 16 years public school experience in the state.

16 * Sec. 4. AS 14.20.275 is amended to read:

17 Sec. 14.20.275. DEFINITIONS. In secs. [SEC.] 220 and 225 of
18 this chapter

19 (1) "Central area" means that area included within the
20 boundaries of election districts 13, 14, 15, and 16;

21 (2) "Northwest area" means that area included within the
22 boundaries of election districts 17, 18, and 19;

23 (3) "Southcentral area" means that area included within the
24 boundaries of election districts 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12;

25 (4) "Southeastern area" means that area included within the
26 boundaries of election districts 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5;

27 (5) "base salary" means the remuneration received by a
28 teacher excluding any remuneration received as credit for previous
29 school experience;

1 (6) "in-service education day" means a day of employment
2 during which no pupils are in regular attendance;

3 (7) "non-public school" means a private or parochial
4 school, primarily supported by other than public funds, and operated
5 by an agency other than a state, a political subdivision of a state,
6 or the United States;

7 (8) "public school" means a school, primarily supported by
8 public funds, which is operated by a state, a political subdivision
9 of a state, or the United States;

10 (9) "teacher's day" means a day of employment during which
11 pupils are in regular attendance;

12 (10) "teacher" means a teacher, and a superintendent,
13 assistant superintendent, principal, vice principal, or other
14 administrator employed in the public schools of the state;

15 (11) "year of school experience" means not less than 140
16 days of teaching experience.

17 * Sec. 5. The following laws are repealed: AS 14.20.230; AS 14.20.240;
18 AS 14.20.245; AS 14.20.250; and AS 14.20.270.

19 * Sec. 6. This Act takes effect July 1, 1970.
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