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AN ACT

Relating to the power of the Professional Teaching Practices Commission to revoke or suspend teachers' certificates.

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

* Section 1. AS 14.20.030 is amended to read:

Sec. 14.20.030. CAUSES FOR REVOCATION AND SUSPENSION. The commissioner or the Professional Teaching Practices Commission may revoke or suspend a certificate only for the following reasons:

(1) incompetency, which is defined as the inability or the unintentional or intentional failure to perform the teacher's customary teaching duties in a satisfactory manner;

(2) immorality, which is defined as the commission of an act which, under the laws of the state, constitutes a crime involving moral turpitude;

(3) substantial noncompliance with the school laws of the state or the regulations of the department; or

(4) upon a determination by the Professional Teaching Practices Commission that there has been a violation of ethical or professional standards or contractual obligations.

* Sec. 2. AS 14.20.470(a)(4) is amended to read:

(4) suspend or revoke the certificate of a member of the teaching profession for one of the reasons set out in sec. 30 of this chapter except that in the case of an administrator, the commissioner of education must concur;