

2 **HB 1761** - S AMD TO EDU COMM AMD (S2555.1) - 353
3 By Senators Hochstatter, Stevens and Zarelli

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5 On page 2, line 27 of the amendment, after "(4)" insert "A retired
6 state employee may serve up to five hundred twenty five hours as a
7 substitute teacher per school year without receiving a reduction in
8 pension if:

9 (a) A school district on behalf of an individual candidate applies
10 to the superintendent of public instruction for the issuance of an
11 alternate substitute certificate; and

12 (b) The superintendent of public instruction issues the alternate
13 substitute teacher certificate.

14 (c) The superintendent of public instruction shall issue the
15 alternate substitute teacher certificate if the individual is a retired
16 person and has at least two years' work experience with the state
17 relevant to the subject area or areas that the school district is
18 experiencing a shortage of substitutes to teach.

19 (d)(i) The alternate teacher certificate under this subsection
20 allows the holder full authority to serve as a substitute teacher. The
21 certificate shall be valid for not more than two years of substitute
22 teaching.

23 (ii) The alternate teacher certificate shall allow the holder to
24 provide instructional services to students in any of the grades in
25 middle school, junior high school, and high school and teach only the
26 subject or subjects approved by the local school board of directors and
27 designated on the alternate teacher certificates.

28 (e) The superintendent of public instruction shall adopt rules as
29 necessary under chapter 34.05 RCW to administer the alternate
30 certification process under this subsection (4).

31 (5)"

32 On page 3, beginning on line 2 of the amendment, after "~~this~~"
33 strike all material through "(5)" on line 3 and insert "~~section.~~

34 (5))) (6)"

35 On page 3, line 5 of the amendment, after "subsection" strike "(4)"
36 and insert "(5)"

1 On page 3, at the beginning of line 15 of the amendment, strike
2 "(6)" and insert "(7)"
3 On page 3, line 19 of the amendment, after "~~((6))~~" strike "(7)"
4 and insert "(8)"

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EFFECT: In an effort to increase the pool of eligible substitute teachers, an alternate substitute teacher certificate is issued to retired state employees with work experience in a subject area in which the district is experiencing a shortage of substitutes.