ENGROSSED SECOND SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1432

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By House Committee on Appropriations (originally sponsored by Representatives P. Sullivan, Upthegrove, Simpson, Hunter, Moeller, Linville, Schual-Berke and Santos)

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1 AN ACT Relating to educational staff associates; amending RCW 2 28A.150.410; and creating a new section.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 Sec. 1. RCW 28A.150.410 and 2002 c 353 s 1 are each amended to 5 read as follows:

6 (1) The legislature shall establish for each school year in the 7 appropriations act a statewide salary allocation schedule, for 8 allocation purposes only, to be used to distribute funds for basic 9 education certificated instructional staff salaries under RCW 10 28A.150.260.

allocations for state-funded basic 11 (2) Salary education 12 certificated instructional staff shall be calculated by the superintendent of public instruction by determining the district's 13 staff, using 14 salary for certificated instructional average the 15 statewide salary allocation schedule and related documents, conditions, 16 and limitations established by the omnibus appropriations act.

17 (3) Beginning January 1, 1992, no more than ninety college quarter-18 hour credits received by any employee after the baccalaureate degree

1 may be used to determine compensation allocations under the state 2 salary allocation schedule and LEAP documents referenced in the omnibus 3 appropriations act, or any replacement schedules and documents, unless: 4 (a) The employee has a masters degree; or

5 (b) The credits were used in generating state salary allocations 6 before January 1, 1992.

7 (4) Beginning in the 2007-08 school year, the calculation of years of service for occupational therapists, physical therapists, speech-8 language pathologists, audiologists, nurses, social workers, 9 counselors, and psychologists regulated under Title 18 RCW may include 10 experience in schools and other nonschool positions as occupational 11 therapists, physical therapists, speech-language pathologists, 12 13 audiologists, nurses, social workers, counselors, or psychologists. The calculation shall be that one year of service in a nonschool 14 position counts as one year of service for purposes of this chapter, up 15 to a limit of five years of nonschool service. Nonschool years of 16 service included in calculations under this subsection shall not be 17 applied to service credit totals for purposes of any retirement benefit 18 under chapter 41.32, 41.35, or 41.40 RCW, or any other state retirement 19 20 system benefits.

21 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 2. If specific funding for the purposes of this 22 act, referencing this act by bill or chapter number, is not provided by 23 June 30, 2007, in the omnibus appropriations act, this act is null and 24 void.

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