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- 1 AN ACT Relating to extending by three years the date when new
- 2 teachers must obtain masters' degrees; and amending RCW 28A.410.050.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 4 Sec. 1. RCW 28A.410.050 and 1989 c 29 s 2 are each amended to read
- 5 as follows:
- 6 (1) The state board of education shall implement rules providing
- 7 that all teachers performing instructional duties and acquiring
- 8 professional level certificate status after August 31, ((1992)) 1995,
- 9 shall possess, as a requirement of professional status, a masters
- 10 degree in teaching, or a masters degree in the arts, sciences, and/or
- 11 humanities.
- 12 (2) The state board of education shall develop and adopt rules
- 13 establishing masters degree equivalency standards for vocational
- 14 instructors performing instructional duties and acquiring professional
- 15 level certification after August 31, $((\frac{1992}{1995}))$ 1995.