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Sponsor(s): House Committee on Education (originally sponsored by Representatives Quall, Talcott, Haigh, Anderson, Rockefeller, Tokuda, Lantz, Romero, McIntire and Chase; by request of Governor Locke, Superintendent of Public Instruction, State Board of Education and Professional Educator Standards Board)

Brief Description: Changing qualifications for public school principals and vice principals.

HB 2415-S - DIGEST

(DIGEST AS ENACTED)

Requires that such persons shall hold valid administrative certificates and shall hold or have held either valid teacher certificates or valid educational staff associate certificates.

Provides that persons who hold or have held valid educational staff associate certificates must also have demonstrated successful school-based experience in an instructional role with students. Persons whose certificates were revoked, suspended, or surrendered may not be employed as public school principals or vice principals.