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HOUSE BILL 3165

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By Representatives Hunter and Schual-Berke

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1            AN ACT Relating to educational staff associate positions; and  
2 amending RCW 28A.150.410.

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.

11            (2) Salary allocations for state-funded basic education  
12 certificated instructional staff shall be calculated by the  
13 superintendent of public instruction by determining the district's  
14 average salary for certificated instructional staff, using 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 2004-2005 school year, the determination of  
8 years of service for occupational therapists, physical therapists,  
9 speech-language pathologists, audiologists, nurses, social workers,  
10 counselors, and psychologists regulated under Title 18 RCW may include  
11 experience in schools and other nonschool positions as occupational  
12 therapists, physical therapists, speech-language pathologists,  
13 audiologists, nurses, social workers, counselors, or psychologists.  
14 One year of service in nonschool positions shall be counted as one year  
15 of service for purposes of this chapter. A maximum of five years of  
16 service in nonschool positions may be included in the determination of  
17 years of service.

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