

House _____ Amendment NO. _____

Offered By

1 AMEND House Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 743, Page 2, Section 163.018, Line 39,
2 by inserting immediately after all of said section and line the following:

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4 "168.800. 1. If a school district uses a salary schedule in which a teacher receives a higher
5 salary if he or she has earned a master's degree, the school district shall compensate any teacher
6 who has earned thirty credit hours in graduate-level or undergraduate-level courses in a field closely
7 related to subjects taught by the teacher and approved by the school board of the district as if the
8 teacher had earned the master's degree required to receive a higher salary on the salary schedule. If
9 the district's salary schedule has different levels of compensation based on the type of master's
10 degree, the district shall compensate the teacher as if the teacher had earned the master's degree
11 with the lowest level of compensation on the salary schedule.

12 2. The department of elementary and secondary education shall ensure that its evaluations,
13 data collections, and website are updated to reflect the requirements of this section."; and
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15 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references
16 accordingly.

Action Taken _____ Date _____