HCS HB 267 -- PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS (Shields)

COMMITTEE OF ORIGIN: Standing Committee on Elementary and Secondary Education

This bill repeals the sunset provision for the teacher externship program that expired August 28th, 2024.

Current statute allows for any person who is receiving benefits from the teacher retirement system to substitute teach on a parttime basis without losing their retirement benefit. This work exemption expires June 30, 2025.

The bill extends the current exemption to 2030.

This bill is the same as HB 1945 (2024) and the HCS includes HB 1039 (2025).