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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 4167

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Bill 4167 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The School Code is amended by changing Sections
5 21B-20 and 21B-40 and by adding Sections 10-20.67 and 34-18.60
6 as follows:

7 (105 ILCS 5/10-20.67 new)

8 Sec. 10-20.67. Short-term substitute teacher training.

9 (a) Each school board shall, in collaboration with its
10 teachers or, if applicable, the exclusive bargaining
11 representative of its teachers, jointly develop a short-term
12 substitute teacher training program that provides individuals
13 who hold a Short-Term Substitute Teaching License under Section
14 21B-20 of this Code with information on curriculum, classroom
15 management techniques, school safety, and district and
16 building operations. The State Board of Education may develop a

1 model short-term substitute teacher training program for use by
2 a school board under this subsection (a) if the school board
3 and its teachers or, if applicable, the exclusive bargaining
4 representative of its teachers agree to use the State Board's
5 model. A school board with a substitute teacher training
6 program in place before the effective date of this amendatory
7 Act of the 100th General Assembly may utilize that program to
8 satisfy the requirements of this subsection (a).

9 (b) Nothing in this Section prohibits a school board from
10 offering substitute training to substitute teachers licensed
11 under paragraph (3) of Section 21B-20 of this Code or to
12 substitute teachers holding a Professional Educator License.

13 (c) This Section is repealed on July 1, 2023.

14 (105 ILCS 5/21B-20)

15 Sec. 21B-20. Types of licenses. ~~The Before July 1, 2013,~~
16 ~~the~~ State Board of Education shall implement a system of
17 educator licensure, whereby individuals employed in school
18 districts who are required to be licensed must have one of the
19 following licenses: (i) a professional educator license; (ii)
20 an a professional educator license with stipulations; ~~or~~ (iii)
21 a substitute teaching license; or (iv) until June 30, 2023, a
22 short-term substitute teaching license. References in law
23 regarding individuals certified or certificated or required to
24 be certified or certificated under Article 21 of this Code
25 shall also include individuals licensed or required to be

1 licensed under this Article. The first year of all licenses
2 ends on June 30 following one full year of the license being
3 issued.

4 The State Board of Education, in consultation with the
5 State Educator Preparation and Licensure Board, may adopt such
6 rules as may be necessary to govern the requirements for
7 licenses and endorsements under this Section.

8 (1) Professional Educator License. Persons who (i)
9 have successfully completed an approved educator
10 preparation program and are recommended for licensure by
11 the Illinois institution offering the educator preparation
12 program, (ii) have successfully completed the required
13 testing under Section 21B-30 of this Code, (iii) have
14 successfully completed coursework on the psychology of,
15 the identification of, and the methods of instruction for
16 the exceptional child, including without limitation
17 children with learning disabilities, (iv) have
18 successfully completed coursework in methods of reading
19 and reading in the content area, and (v) have met all other
20 criteria established by rule of the State Board of
21 Education shall be issued a Professional Educator License.
22 All Professional Educator Licenses are valid until June 30
23 immediately following 5 years of the license being issued.
24 The Professional Educator License shall be endorsed with
25 specific areas and grade levels in which the individual is
26 eligible to practice.

1 Individuals can receive subsequent endorsements on the
2 Professional Educator License. Subsequent endorsements
3 shall require a minimum of 24 semester hours of coursework
4 in the endorsement area, unless otherwise specified by
5 rule, and passage of the applicable content area test.

6 (2) Educator License with Stipulations. An Educator
7 License with Stipulations shall be issued an endorsement
8 that limits the license holder to one particular position
9 or does not require completion of an approved educator
10 program or both.

11 An individual with an Educator License with
12 Stipulations must not be employed by a school district or
13 any other entity to replace any presently employed teacher
14 who otherwise would not be replaced for any reason.

15 An Educator License with Stipulations may be issued
16 with the following endorsements:

17 (A) Provisional educator. A provisional educator
18 endorsement in a specific content area or areas on an
19 Educator License with Stipulations may be issued to an
20 applicant who holds an educator license from another
21 state, U.S. territory, or foreign country and who, at
22 the time of applying for an Illinois license, does not
23 meet the minimum requirements under Section 21B-35 of
24 this Code, but does, at a minimum, meet the following
25 requirements:

26 (i) Holds the equivalent of a minimum of a

1 bachelor's degree, unless a master's degree is
2 required for the endorsement, from a regionally
3 accredited college or university or, for
4 individuals educated in a country other than the
5 United States, the equivalent of a minimum of a
6 bachelor's degree issued in the United States,
7 unless a master's degree is required for the
8 endorsement.

9 (ii) Has passed or passes a test of basic
10 skills and content area test prior to or within one
11 year after issuance of the provisional educator
12 endorsement on the Educator License with
13 Stipulations. If an individual who holds an
14 Educator License with Stipulations endorsed for
15 provisional educator has not passed a test of basic
16 skills and applicable content area test or tests
17 within one year after issuance of the endorsement,
18 the endorsement shall expire on June 30 following
19 one full year of the endorsement being issued. If
20 such an individual has passed the test of basic
21 skills and applicable content area test or tests
22 either prior to issuance of the endorsement or
23 within one year after issuance of the endorsement,
24 the endorsement is valid until June 30 immediately
25 following 2 years of the license being issued,
26 during which time any and all coursework

1 deficiencies must be met and any and all additional
2 testing deficiencies must be met.

3 In addition, a provisional educator endorsement
4 for principals or superintendents may be issued if the
5 individual meets the requirements set forth in
6 subdivisions (1) and (3) of subsection (b-5) of Section
7 21B-35 of this Code. Applicants who have not been
8 entitled by an Illinois-approved educator preparation
9 program at an Illinois institution of higher education
10 shall not receive a provisional educator endorsement
11 if the person completed an alternative licensure
12 program in another state, unless the program has been
13 determined to be equivalent to Illinois program
14 requirements.

15 Notwithstanding any other requirements of this
16 Section, a service member or spouse of a service member
17 may obtain a Professional Educator License with
18 Stipulations, and a provisional educator endorsement
19 in a specific content area or areas, if he or she holds
20 a valid teaching certificate or license in good
21 standing from another state, meets the qualifications
22 of educators outlined in Section 21B-15 of this Code,
23 and has not engaged in any misconduct that would
24 prohibit an individual from obtaining a license
25 pursuant to Illinois law, including without limitation
26 any administrative rules of the State Board of

1 Education.

2 In this Section, "service member" means any person
3 who, at the time of application under this Section, is
4 an active duty member of the United States Armed Forces
5 or any reserve component of the United States Armed
6 Forces or the National Guard of any state,
7 commonwealth, or territory of the United States or the
8 District of Columbia.

9 A provisional educator endorsement is valid until
10 June 30 immediately following 2 years of the license
11 being issued, provided that any remaining testing and
12 coursework deficiencies are met as set forth in this
13 Section. Failure to satisfy all stated deficiencies
14 shall mean the individual, including any service
15 member or spouse who has obtained a Professional
16 Educator License with Stipulations and a provisional
17 educator endorsement in a specific content area or
18 areas, is ineligible to receive a Professional
19 Educator License at that time. An Educator License with
20 Stipulations endorsed for provisional educator shall
21 not be renewed for individuals who hold an Educator
22 License with Stipulations and who have held a position
23 in a public school or non-public school recognized by
24 the State Board of Education.

25 (B) Alternative provisional educator. An
26 alternative provisional educator endorsement on an

1 Educator License with Stipulations may be issued to an
2 applicant who, at the time of applying for the
3 endorsement, has done all of the following:

4 (i) Graduated from a regionally accredited
5 college or university with a minimum of a
6 bachelor's degree.

7 (ii) Successfully completed the first phase of
8 the Alternative Educator Licensure Program for
9 Teachers, as described in Section 21B-50 of this
10 Code.

11 (iii) Passed a test of basic skills and content
12 area test, as required under Section 21B-30 of this
13 Code.

14 The alternative provisional educator endorsement is
15 valid for 2 years of teaching and may be renewed for a
16 third year by an individual meeting the requirements set
17 forth in Section 21B-50 of this Code.

18 (C) Alternative provisional superintendent. An
19 alternative provisional superintendent endorsement on
20 an Educator License with Stipulations entitles the
21 holder to serve only as a superintendent or assistant
22 superintendent in a school district's central office.
23 This endorsement may only be issued to an applicant
24 who, at the time of applying for the endorsement, has
25 done all of the following:

26 (i) Graduated from a regionally accredited

1 college or university with a minimum of a master's
2 degree in a management field other than education.

3 (ii) Been employed for a period of at least 5
4 years in a management level position in a field
5 other than education.

6 (iii) Successfully completed the first phase
7 of an alternative route to superintendent
8 endorsement program, as provided in Section 21B-55
9 of this Code.

10 (iv) Passed a test of basic skills and content
11 area tests required under Section 21B-30 of this
12 Code.

13 The endorsement may be registered for 2 fiscal
14 years in order to complete one full year of serving as
15 a superintendent or assistant superintendent.

16 (D) Resident teacher endorsement. A resident
17 teacher endorsement on an Educator License with
18 Stipulations may be issued to an applicant who, at the
19 time of applying for the endorsement, has done all of
20 the following:

21 (i) Graduated from a regionally accredited
22 institution of higher education with a minimum of a
23 bachelor's degree.

24 (ii) Enrolled in an approved Illinois educator
25 preparation program.

26 (iii) Passed a test of basic skills and content

1 area test, as required under Section 21B-30 of this
2 Code.

3 The resident teacher endorsement on an Educator
4 License with Stipulations is valid for 4 years of
5 teaching and shall not be renewed.

6 A resident teacher may teach only under the
7 direction of a licensed teacher, who shall act as the
8 resident mentor teacher, and may not teach in place of
9 a licensed teacher. A resident teacher endorsement on
10 an Educator License with Stipulations shall no longer
11 be valid after June 30, 2017.

12 (E) Career and technical educator. A career and
13 technical educator endorsement on an Educator License
14 with Stipulations may be issued to an applicant who has
15 a minimum of 60 semester hours of coursework from a
16 regionally accredited institution of higher education
17 or an accredited trade and technical institution and
18 has a minimum of 2,000 hours of experience outside of
19 education in each area to be taught.

20 The career and technical educator endorsement on
21 an Educator License with Stipulations is valid until
22 June 30 immediately following 5 years of the
23 endorsement being issued and may be renewed. For
24 individuals who were issued the career and technical
25 educator endorsement on an Educator License with
26 Stipulations on or after January 1, 2015, the license

1 may be renewed if the individual passes a test of basic
2 skills or test of work proficiency, as required under
3 Section 21B-30 of this Code.

4 An individual who holds a valid career and
5 technical educator endorsement on an Educator License
6 with Stipulations but does not hold a bachelor's degree
7 may substitute teach in career and technical education
8 classrooms.

9 (F) Part-time provisional career and technical
10 educator or provisional career and technical educator.
11 A part-time provisional career and technical educator
12 endorsement or a provisional career and technical
13 educator endorsement on an Educator License with
14 Stipulations may be issued to an applicant who has a
15 minimum of 8,000 hours of work experience in the skill
16 for which the applicant is seeking the endorsement. It
17 is the responsibility of each employing school board
18 and regional office of education to provide
19 verification, in writing, to the State Superintendent
20 of Education at the time the application is submitted
21 that no qualified teacher holding a Professional
22 Educator License or an Educator License with
23 Stipulations with a career and technical educator
24 endorsement is available and that actual circumstances
25 require such issuance.

26 The provisional career and technical educator

1 endorsement on an Educator License with Stipulations
2 is valid until June 30 immediately following 5 years of
3 the endorsement being issued and may be renewed for 5
4 years. For individuals who were issued the provisional
5 career and technical educator endorsement on an
6 Educator License with Stipulations on or after January
7 1, 2015, the license may be renewed if the individual
8 passes a test of basic skills or test of work
9 proficiency, as required under Section 21B-30 of this
10 Code.

11 A part-time provisional career and technical
12 educator endorsement on an Educator License with
13 Stipulations may be issued for teaching no more than 2
14 courses of study for grades 6 through 12. The part-time
15 provisional career and technical educator endorsement
16 on an Educator License with Stipulations is valid until
17 June 30 immediately following 5 years of the
18 endorsement being issued and may be renewed for 5 years
19 if the individual makes application for renewal.

20 An individual who holds a provisional or part-time
21 provisional career and technical educator endorsement
22 on an Educator License with Stipulations but does not
23 hold a bachelor's degree may substitute teach in career
24 and technical education classrooms.

25 (G) Transitional bilingual educator. A
26 transitional bilingual educator endorsement on an

1 Educator License with Stipulations may be issued for
2 the purpose of providing instruction in accordance
3 with Article 14C of this Code to an applicant who
4 provides satisfactory evidence that he or she meets all
5 of the following requirements:

6 (i) Possesses adequate speaking, reading, and
7 writing ability in the language other than English
8 in which transitional bilingual education is
9 offered.

10 (ii) Has the ability to successfully
11 communicate in English.

12 (iii) Either possessed, within 5 years
13 previous to his or her applying for a transitional
14 bilingual educator endorsement, a valid and
15 comparable teaching certificate or comparable
16 authorization issued by a foreign country or holds
17 a degree from an institution of higher learning in
18 a foreign country that the State Educator
19 Preparation and Licensure Board determines to be
20 the equivalent of a bachelor's degree from a
21 regionally accredited institution of higher
22 learning in the United States.

23 A transitional bilingual educator endorsement
24 shall be valid for prekindergarten through grade 12, is
25 valid until June 30 immediately following 5 years of
26 the endorsement being issued, and shall not be renewed.

1 Persons holding a transitional bilingual educator
2 endorsement shall not be employed to replace any
3 presently employed teacher who otherwise would not be
4 replaced for any reason.

5 (H) Language endorsement. In an effort to
6 alleviate the shortage of teachers speaking a language
7 other than English in the public schools, an individual
8 who holds an Educator License with Stipulations may
9 also apply for a language endorsement, provided that
10 the applicant provides satisfactory evidence that he
11 or she meets all of the following requirements:

12 (i) Holds a transitional bilingual
13 endorsement.

14 (ii) Has demonstrated proficiency in the
15 language for which the endorsement is to be issued
16 by passing the applicable language content test
17 required by the State Board of Education.

18 (iii) Holds a bachelor's degree or higher from
19 a regionally accredited institution of higher
20 education or, for individuals educated in a
21 country other than the United States, holds a
22 degree from an institution of higher learning in a
23 foreign country that the State Educator
24 Preparation and Licensure Board determines to be
25 the equivalent of a bachelor's degree from a
26 regionally accredited institution of higher

1 learning in the United States.

2 (iv) Has passed a test of basic skills, as
3 required under Section 21B-30 of this Code.

4 A language endorsement on an Educator License with
5 Stipulations is valid for prekindergarten through
6 grade 12 for the same validity period as the
7 individual's transitional bilingual educator
8 endorsement on the Educator License with Stipulations
9 and shall not be renewed.

10 (I) Visiting international educator. A visiting
11 international educator endorsement on an Educator
12 License with Stipulations may be issued to an
13 individual who is being recruited by a particular
14 school district that conducts formal recruitment
15 programs outside of the United States to secure the
16 services of qualified teachers and who meets all of the
17 following requirements:

18 (i) Holds the equivalent of a minimum of a
19 bachelor's degree issued in the United States.

20 (ii) Has been prepared as a teacher at the
21 grade level for which he or she will be employed.

22 (iii) Has adequate content knowledge in the
23 subject to be taught.

24 (iv) Has an adequate command of the English
25 language.

26 A holder of a visiting international educator

1 endorsement on an Educator License with Stipulations
2 shall be permitted to teach in bilingual education
3 programs in the language that was the medium of
4 instruction in his or her teacher preparation program,
5 provided that he or she passes the English Language
6 Proficiency Examination or another test of writing
7 skills in English identified by the State Board of
8 Education, in consultation with the State Educator
9 Preparation and Licensure Board.

10 A visiting international educator endorsement on
11 an Educator License with Stipulations is valid for 3
12 years and shall not be renewed.

13 (J) Paraprofessional educator. A paraprofessional
14 educator endorsement on an Educator License with
15 Stipulations may be issued to an applicant who holds a
16 high school diploma or its recognized equivalent and
17 either holds an associate's degree or a minimum of 60
18 semester hours of credit from a regionally accredited
19 institution of higher education or has passed a test of
20 basic skills required under Section 21B-30 of this
21 Code. The paraprofessional educator endorsement is
22 valid until June 30 immediately following 5 years of
23 the endorsement being issued and may be renewed through
24 application and payment of the appropriate fee, as
25 required under Section 21B-40 of this Code. An
26 individual who holds only a paraprofessional educator

1 endorsement is not subject to additional requirements
2 in order to renew the endorsement.

3 (K) Chief school business official. A chief school
4 business official endorsement on an Educator License
5 with Stipulations may be issued to an applicant who
6 qualifies by having a master's degree or higher, 2
7 years of full-time administrative experience in school
8 business management or 2 years of university-approved
9 practical experience, and a minimum of 24 semester
10 hours of graduate credit in a program approved by the
11 State Board of Education for the preparation of school
12 business administrators and by passage of the
13 applicable State tests, including a test of basic
14 skills and applicable content area test.

15 The chief school business official endorsement may
16 also be affixed to the Educator License with
17 Stipulations of any holder who qualifies by having a
18 master's degree in business administration, finance,
19 accounting, or public administration and who completes
20 an additional 6 semester hours of internship in school
21 business management from a regionally accredited
22 institution of higher education and passes the
23 applicable State tests, including a test of basic
24 skills and applicable content area test. This
25 endorsement shall be required for any individual
26 employed as a chief school business official.

1 The chief school business official endorsement on
2 an Educator License with Stipulations is valid until
3 June 30 immediately following 5 years of the
4 endorsement being issued and may be renewed if the
5 license holder completes renewal requirements as
6 required for individuals who hold a Professional
7 Educator License endorsed for chief school business
8 official under Section 21B-45 of this Code and such
9 rules as may be adopted by the State Board of
10 Education.

11 The State Board of Education shall adopt any rules
12 necessary to implement Public Act 100-288 ~~this~~
13 ~~amendatory Act of the 100th General Assembly.~~

14 (L) Provisional in-state educator. A provisional
15 in-state educator endorsement on an Educator License
16 with Stipulations may be issued to a candidate who has
17 completed an Illinois-approved educator preparation
18 program at an Illinois institution of higher education
19 and who has not successfully completed an
20 evidence-based assessment of teacher effectiveness but
21 who meets all of the following requirements:

22 (i) Holds at least a bachelor's degree.

23 (ii) Has completed an approved educator
24 preparation program at an Illinois institution.

25 (iii) Has passed a test of basic skills and
26 applicable content area test, as required by

1 Section 21B-30 of this Code.

2 (iv) Has attempted an evidence-based
3 assessment of teacher effectiveness and received a
4 minimum score on that assessment, as established
5 by the State Board of Education in consultation
6 with the State Educator Preparation and Licensure
7 Board.

8 A provisional in-state educator endorsement on an
9 Educator License with Stipulations is valid for one
10 full fiscal year after the date of issuance and may not
11 be renewed.

12 (3) Substitute Teaching License. A Substitute Teaching
13 License may be issued to qualified applicants for
14 substitute teaching in all grades of the public schools,
15 prekindergarten through grade 12. Substitute Teaching
16 Licenses are not eligible for endorsements. Applicants for
17 a Substitute Teaching License must hold a bachelor's degree
18 or higher from a regionally accredited institution of
19 higher education.

20 Substitute Teaching Licenses are valid for 5 years.

21 Substitute Teaching Licenses are valid for substitute
22 teaching in every county of this State. If an individual
23 has had his or her Professional Educator License or
24 Educator License with Stipulations suspended or revoked or
25 has not met the renewal requirements for licensure, then
26 that individual is not eligible to obtain a Substitute

1 Teaching License.

2 A substitute teacher may only teach in the place of a
3 licensed teacher who is under contract with the employing
4 board. If, however, there is no licensed teacher under
5 contract because of an emergency situation, then a district
6 may employ a substitute teacher for no longer than 30
7 calendar days per each vacant position in the district if
8 the district notifies the appropriate regional office of
9 education within 5 business days after the employment of
10 the substitute teacher in the emergency situation. An
11 emergency situation is one in which an unforeseen vacancy
12 has occurred and (i) a teacher is unable to fulfill his or
13 her contractual duties or (ii) teacher capacity needs of
14 the district exceed previous indications, and the district
15 is actively engaged in advertising to hire a fully licensed
16 teacher for the vacant position.

17 There is no limit on the number of days that a
18 substitute teacher may teach in a single school district,
19 provided that no substitute teacher may teach for longer
20 than 90 school days for any one licensed teacher under
21 contract in the same school year. A substitute teacher who
22 holds a Professional Educator License or Educator License
23 with Stipulations shall not teach for more than 120 school
24 days for any one licensed teacher under contract in the
25 same school year. The limitations in this paragraph (3) on
26 the number of days a substitute teacher may be employed do

1 not apply to any school district operating under Article 34
2 of this Code.

3 A school district may not require an individual who
4 holds a valid Professional Educator License or Educator
5 License with Stipulations to seek or hold a Substitute
6 Teaching License to teach as a substitute teacher.

7 (4) Short-Term Substitute Teaching License. Beginning
8 on July 1, 2018 and until June 30, 2023, the State Board of
9 Education may issue a Short-Term Substitute Teaching
10 License. A Short-Term Substitute Teaching License may be
11 issued to a qualified applicant for substitute teaching in
12 all grades of the public schools, prekindergarten through
13 grade 12. Short-Term Substitute Teaching Licenses are not
14 eligible for endorsements. Applicants for a Short-Term
15 Substitute Teaching License must hold an associate's
16 degree or have completed at least 60 credit hours from a
17 regionally accredited institution of higher education.

18 Short-Term Substitute Teaching Licenses are valid for
19 substitute teaching in every county of this State. If an
20 individual has had his or her Professional Educator License
21 or Educator License with Stipulations suspended or
22 revoked, then that individual is not eligible to obtain a
23 Short-Term Substitute Teaching License.

24 The provisions of Sections 10-21.9 and 34-18.5 of this
25 Code apply to short-term substitute teachers.

26 An individual holding a Short-Term Substitute Teaching

1 License may teach no more than 5 consecutive days per
2 licensed teacher who is under contract. For teacher
3 absences lasting 6 or more days per licensed teacher who is
4 under contract, a school district may not hire an
5 individual holding a Short-Term Substitute Teaching
6 License. An individual holding a Short-Term Substitute
7 Teaching License must complete the training program under
8 Section 10-20.67 or 34-18.60 of this Code to be eligible to
9 teach at a public school. This paragraph (4) is inoperative
10 on and after July 1, 2023.

11 (Source: P.A. 99-35, eff. 1-1-16; 99-58, eff. 7-16-15; 99-143,
12 eff. 7-27-15; 99-642, eff. 7-28-16; 99-920, eff. 1-6-17; 100-8,
13 eff. 7-1-17; 100-13, eff. 7-1-17; 100-288, eff. 8-24-17;
14 revised 9-25-17.)

15 (105 ILCS 5/21B-40)

16 Sec. 21B-40. Fees.

17 (a) Beginning with the start of the new licensure system
18 established pursuant to this Article, the following fees shall
19 be charged to applicants:

20 (1) A \$75 application fee for a Professional Educator
21 License or an Educator License with Stipulations. However,
22 beginning on January 1, 2015, the application fee for a
23 Professional Educator License and Educator License with
24 Stipulations shall be \$100.

25 (1.5) A \$50 application fee for a Substitute Teaching

1 License. If the application for a Substitute Teaching
2 License is made and granted after July 1, 2017, the
3 licensee may apply for a refund of the application fee
4 within 18 months of issuance of the new license and shall
5 be issued that refund by the State Board of Education if
6 the licensee provides evidence to the State Board of
7 Education that the licensee has taught pursuant to the
8 Substitute Teaching License at least 10 full school days
9 within one year of issuance.

10 (1.7) A \$25 application fee for a Short-Term Substitute
11 Teaching License. The Short-Term Substitute Teaching
12 License must be registered in at least one region in this
13 State, but does not require a registration fee. The
14 licensee may apply for a refund of the application fee
15 within 18 months of issuance of the new license and shall
16 be issued that refund by the State Board of Education if
17 the licensee provides evidence to the State Board of
18 Education that the licensee has taught pursuant to the
19 Short-Term Substitute Teaching License at least 10 full
20 school days within one year of issuance.

21 (2) A \$150 application fee for individuals who have not
22 been entitled by an Illinois-approved educator preparation
23 program at an Illinois institution of higher education and
24 are seeking any of the licenses set forth in subdivision
25 (1) of this subsection (a).

26 (3) A \$50 application fee for each endorsement or

1 approval an individual holding a license wishes to add to
2 that license.

3 (4) A \$10 per year registration fee for the course of
4 the validity cycle to register the license, which shall be
5 paid to the regional office of education having supervision
6 and control over the school in which the individual holding
7 the license is to be employed. If the individual holding
8 the license is not yet employed, then the license may be
9 registered in any county in this State. The registration
10 fee must be paid in its entirety the first time the
11 individual registers the license for a particular validity
12 period in a single region. No additional fee may be charged
13 for that validity period should the individual
14 subsequently register the license in additional regions.
15 An individual must register the license (i) immediately
16 after initial issuance of the license and (ii) at the
17 beginning of each renewal cycle if the individual has
18 satisfied the renewal requirements required under this
19 Code.

20 Beginning on July 1, 2017, at the beginning of each
21 renewal cycle, individuals who hold a Substitute Teaching
22 License may apply for a reimbursement of the registration
23 fee within 18 months of renewal and shall be issued that
24 reimbursement by the State Board of Education from funds
25 appropriated for that purpose if the licensee provides
26 evidence to the State Board of Education that the licensee

1 has taught pursuant to the Substitute Teaching License at
2 least 10 full school days within one year of renewal.

3 (b) All application fees paid pursuant to subdivisions (1)
4 through (3) of subsection (a) of this Section shall be
5 deposited into the Teacher Certificate Fee Revolving Fund and
6 shall be used, subject to appropriation, by the State Board of
7 Education to provide the technology and human resources
8 necessary for the timely and efficient processing of
9 applications and for the renewal of licenses. Funds available
10 from the Teacher Certificate Fee Revolving Fund may also be
11 used by the State Board of Education to support the recruitment
12 and retention of educators, to support educator preparation
13 programs as they seek national accreditation, and to provide
14 professional development aligned with the requirements set
15 forth in Section 21B-45 of this Code. A majority of the funds
16 in the Teacher Certificate Fee Revolving Fund must be dedicated
17 to the timely and efficient processing of applications and for
18 the renewal of licenses. The Teacher Certificate Fee Revolving
19 Fund is not subject to administrative charge transfers,
20 authorized under Section 8h of the State Finance Act, from the
21 Teacher Certificate Fee Revolving Fund into any other fund of
22 this State, and moneys in the Teacher Certificate Fee Revolving
23 Fund shall not revert back to the General Revenue Fund at any
24 time.

25 The regional superintendent of schools shall deposit the
26 registration fees paid pursuant to subdivision (4) of

1 subsection (a) of this Section into the institute fund
2 established pursuant to Section 3-11 of this Code.

3 (c) The State Board of Education and each regional office
4 of education are authorized to charge a service or convenience
5 fee for the use of credit cards for the payment of license
6 fees. This service or convenience fee shall not exceed the
7 amount required by the credit card processing company or vendor
8 that has entered into a contract with the State Board or
9 regional office of education for this purpose, and the fee must
10 be paid to that company or vendor.

11 (d) If, at the time a certificate issued under Article 21
12 of this Code is exchanged for a license issued under this
13 Article, a person has paid registration fees for any years of
14 the validity period of the certificate and these years have not
15 expired when the certificate is exchanged, then those fees must
16 be applied to the registration of the new license.

17 (Source: P.A. 99-58, eff. 7-16-15; 99-920, eff. 1-6-17;
18 100-550, eff. 11-8-17.)

19 (105 ILCS 5/34-18.60 new)

20 Sec. 34-18.60. Short-term substitute teacher training.

21 (a) The board shall, in collaboration with its teachers or,
22 if applicable, the exclusive bargaining representative of its
23 teachers, jointly develop a short-term substitute teacher
24 training program that provides individuals who hold a
25 Short-Term Substitute Teaching License under Section 21B-20 of

1 this Code with information on curriculum, classroom management
2 techniques, school safety, and district and building
3 operations. The State Board of Education may develop a model
4 short-term substitute teacher training program for use by the
5 board under this subsection (a) if the board and its teachers
6 or, if applicable, the exclusive bargaining representative of
7 its teachers agree to use the State Board's model. If the board
8 has a substitute teacher training program in place before the
9 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 100th General
10 Assembly, it may utilize that program to satisfy the
11 requirements of this subsection (a).

12 (b) Nothing in this Section prohibits the board from
13 offering substitute training to substitute teachers licensed
14 under paragraph (3) of Section 21B-20 of this Code or to
15 substitute teachers holding a Professional Educator License.

16 (c) This Section is repealed on July 1, 2023.

17 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect July 1,
18 2018."