

1 **EDUCATOR LICENSURE AMENDMENTS**

2 2014 GENERAL SESSION

3 STATE OF UTAH

4 **Chief Sponsor: Jerry W. Stevenson**

5 House Sponsor: Gregory H. Hughes

7 **LONG TITLE**

8 **General Description:**

9 This bill addresses requirements related to licensing of educators.

10 **Highlighted Provisions:**

11 This bill:

12 ▶ provides that an individual employed at least half time in a position for which a
13 teacher's license is required, including a position in an online school or a school that
14 uses digital technologies for instruction or blended learning, satisfies the work
15 experience requirement for participation in an alternative preparation program.

16 **Money Appropriated in this Bill:**

17 None

18 **Other Special Clauses:**

19 None

20 **Utah Code Sections Affected:**

21 ENACTS:

22 **53A-6-113**, Utah Code Annotated 1953

24 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:*

25 Section 1. Section **53A-6-113** is enacted to read:

26 **53A-6-113. Alternative preparation program -- Work experience requirement.**

27 An individual who is employed at least half time in a position for which a teacher's
28 license is required pursuant to board rule, including a position in an online school or a school
29 that uses digital technologies for instruction or blended learning, satisfies the work experience

30 requirement for participation in an alternative preparation program.