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Senator Aaron Osmond proposes the following substitute bill:

NATIONAL BOARD CERTIFICATION SCHOLARSHIPS FOR TEACHERS

2015 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Aaron Osmond

House Sponsor: _____

LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill creates a National Board Certification Scholarship Program for public school teachers.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ creates the National Board Certification Scholarship Program;~~and~~
- ▶ directs the State Board of Education to:
 - award grants, on a competitive basis, to eligible teachers to attain a National Board Certification or renew an existing National Board Certification;

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- select an independent evaluator, through a request for proposals process, to evaluate the effectiveness of National Board Certified Teachers ~~{ compared to teachers that are not National Board Certified;~~
 - ~~award stipends, on a competitive basis, to National Board Certified Teachers to provide mentoring to candidates for}; and~~
 - make rules; and
 - ▶ repeals the National Board Certification ~~};~~
 - ~~report to the Education Interim Committee, starting in 2021; and~~
 - ~~make rules.~~
- † Scholarship Program, except provisions related to scholarship repayment, on July 1, 2018.

Money Appropriated in this Bill:

This bill appropriates in fiscal year 2016:

- ~~{~~▶ ~~to the State Board of Education - State Office of Education - Initiative Programs, as an ongoing appropriation:~~
 - ~~from the Education Fund, \$1,500,000; and~~
- †▶ to the State Board of Education - State Office of Education - Initiative Programs, as a one-time appropriation:
 - from the Education Fund, ~~{ \$10,000 }~~ \$370,000.

Other Special Clauses:

This bill provides a special effective date.

Utah Code Sections Affected:

AMENDS:

63I-1-253, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2014, Chapters 189, 226, and 412

ENACTS:

53A-6-1001, Utah Code Annotated 1953

53A-6-1002, Utah Code Annotated 1953

53A-6-1003, Utah Code Annotated 1953

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

Section 1. Section **53A-6-1001** is enacted to read:

Part 10. The National Board Certification Scholarship Program

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53A-6-1001. Title.

This part is known as "The National Board Certification Scholarship Program."

Section 2. Section **53A-6-1002** is enacted to read:

53A-6-1002. Definitions.

(1) "Board" means the State Board of Education.

(2) "Eligible teacher" means a teacher that:

(a) has been licensed under Title 53A, Chapter 6, Educator Licensing and Professional Practices Act;

(b) is employed by an LEA; and

(c) meets other criteria as determined by the board.

(3) "Local education agency" or "LEA" means a school district, charter school, or the Utah Schools for the Deaf and the Blind.

(4) "National Board Certification" or "certificate" means a certificate issued by the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards.

Section 3. Section **53A-6-1003** is enacted to read:

53A-6-1003. National Board Certification Scholarship Program.

(1) The National Board Certification Scholarship Program is created to:

(a) award scholarships to eligible teachers, on a competitive basis, to:

(i) attain a National Board Certification; or

(ii) renew a National Board Certification; ~~and~~

(b) evaluate the effectiveness of National Board Certified Teachers ~~compared to teachers that are not National Board Certified; and~~

~~_____ (c) provide stipends for existing National Board Certified Teachers as described in Subsection (5).~~

(2) Subject to legislative appropriations, the board shall award scholarships to eligible teachers, on a competitive basis, for:

(a) the cost to attain or renew a National Board Certification; and

(b) up to four days of paid professional development time that may be used to:

(i) cover the cost of a substitute during the school year; or

(ii) provide a stipend for professional development attended during the summer.

(3) As a condition of receiving a scholarship under this section, an eligible teacher

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shall agree to repay the scholarship, in accordance with Subsections (4)(a) and (b), if the eligible teacher receives the scholarship and:

(a) does not complete the certificate within three years of the date on which the scholarship was awarded; or

(b) leaves state employment within five years of the date on which the scholarship was awarded.

(4) If scholarship repayment is required under Subsection (3), the board shall:

(a) prorate the amount of the scholarship to be repaid under Subsection (3)(b) based on the amount of time that the scholarship recipient was employed by the state after receiving the scholarship;

(b) amortize the amount of the scholarship repayment over five years at a fixed rate of 5% simple interest; and

(c) deposit scholarship repayment proceeds into the restricted account described in Subsection (6)~~;(b)~~.

~~— (5) Subject to legislative appropriations, the board shall award stipends to current National Board Certified Teachers on a competitive basis:~~

~~— (a) to mentor candidates for National Board Certification; and~~

~~— (b) for up to four days of paid professional development time that may be used to:~~

~~— (i) cover the cost of a substitute during the school year; or~~

~~— (ii) provide a stipend for professional development attended during the summer.~~

~~— (6):~~

(5) The board shall:

~~— (a) make rules, in accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act, specifying:~~

~~(i) a procedures for applying for:~~

~~— (A) scholarships under Subsection (2); and~~

~~(B) stipends under Subsection (5); and~~

~~— (ii) b criteria for awarding:~~

~~— (A) scholarships under Subsection (2); and;~~

~~(B) 6 stipends under Subsection (5); and~~

~~— (b) The board shall create a restricted account consisting of:~~

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~~(fi)a~~ funds appropriated by the Legislature for the National Board Certification Scholarship Program; and

~~(fiib)~~ scholarship repayment proceeds described in Subsection (4)(c).

(7) (a) The board shall select an independent evaluator, through a request for proposals process, to act as an independent contractor to conduct longitudinal research on the effectiveness of National Board Certified Teachers ~~}; compared to teachers that are not};~~ including a comparison of the student learning gains of students taught by National Board Certified};

~~—— (b) On or before November 1, 2021, and on or before November 1 each year thereafter, the board and the};~~ Teachers to the student learning gains of students taught by other national teacher certification organizations.

~~(b) The board shall ensure that a contract with an independent evaluator selected under Subsection (7)(a)}; shall report on the status of the National Board Certification Scholarship Program, including the:~~

~~—— (i) number of teachers that were awarded scholarships;~~

~~—— (ii) number of teachers that completed the certificate; and~~

~~—— (iii) the findings of the longitudinal research described in Subsection (7)(a);~~

~~—— Section 4}; require the independent evaluator to report to the Education Interim Committee on or before November 1, 2017.~~

Section 4. Section 63I-1-253 is amended to read:

63I-1-253. Repeal dates, Titles 53, 53A, and 53B.

The following provisions are repealed on the following dates:

(1) Section 53-3-232, Conditional license, is repealed July 1, 2015.

(2) Subsection 53-10-202(18) is repealed July 1, 2018.

(3) Section 53-10-202.1 is repealed July 1, 2018.

(4) Title 53A, Chapter 1a, Part 6, Public Education Job Enhancement Program is repealed July 1, 2020.

(5) Subsections 53A-6-1003(2), (5), and (7), are repealed July 1, 2018.

~~[(5)] (6) Title 53A, Chapter 11, Part 15, School Safety Tip Line, is repealed July 1, 2015.~~

~~[(6)] (7) The State Instructional Materials Commission, created in Section 53A-14-101,~~

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is repealed July 1, 2016.

~~[(7)]~~ (8) Subsections 53A-16-113(3) and (4) are repealed December 31, 2016.

~~[(8)]~~ (9) Section 53A-16-114 is repealed December 31, 2016.

~~[(9)]~~ (10) Section 53A-17a-163, Performance-based Compensation Pilot Program is repealed July 1, 2016.

~~[(10)]~~ (11) Section 53B-24-402, Rural residency training program, is repealed July 1, 2015.

~~[(11)]~~ (12) Subsection 53C-3-203(4)(b)(vii), which provides for the distribution of money from the Land Exchange Distribution Account to the Geological Survey for test wells, other hydrologic studies, and air quality monitoring in the West Desert, is repealed July 1, 2020.

Section 5. Appropriation.

Under the terms and conditions of Title 63J, Chapter 1, Budgetary Procedures Act, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2016, the following sums of money are appropriated from resources not otherwise appropriated, or reduced from amounts previously appropriated, out of the funds or accounts indicated. These sums of money are in addition to any amounts previously appropriated for fiscal year 2016.

To State Board of Education - State Office of Education - Initiative Programs

<u>{</u>	<u>From Education Fund</u>	<u>\$1,500,000</u>
<u>†</u>	<u>From Education Fund, One-time</u>	<u>†\$10,000 \$370,000</u>

Schedule of Programs:

<u>National Board Certification Scholarship Program</u>	<u>†\$11,500 \$370,000</u>
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The Legislature intends that:

(1) the State ~~{Office}~~ Board of Education ~~{use}~~:

(a) use at least ~~†\$10,000~~ \$100,000 of the appropriation provided in this section to award scholarships for teachers to attain a National Board Certification;

(b) use at least ~~†\$1,000~~ \$70,000 of the appropriation provided in this section to award scholarships for teachers to renew a National Board Certification;

(c) use up to ~~†\$250~~ \$200,000 of the appropriation provided in this section for an independent evaluation of the program; and

~~(d) †up to \$250,000 of the appropriation provided in this section;~~

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- ~~(i) for administration of the program; and~~
 - ~~(ii) to award stipends for existing National Board Certified Teachers;~~
 - ~~(2) the appropriation described in Subsection (1)(a) is:~~
 - ~~(a) one-time; and~~
 - ~~(b) non-lapsing; and~~
 - ~~(3) the expend appropriations ~~described in Subsections (1)(b) through (d) are:~~~~
 - ~~(a) ongoing; and~~
 - ~~(b) non-lapsing.~~
 - ~~Section 5} provided under this section in fiscal years 2016, 2017, and 2018; and~~
 - ~~(2) appropriations provided under this section not lapse.~~
- Section 6. Effective date.
- (1) Except as provided in Subsection (2), this bill takes effect on May 12, 2015.
 - (2) Uncodified Section ~~4}5.~~ Appropriation, takes effect on July 1, 2015.

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Legislative Review Note

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