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Amendment to HB 440

1 Amend RSA 186:11, X(a) as inserted by section 1 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

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3 (a) Certification of teachers, supervisors, and administrators in the public schools. The
4 state board shall also examine the qualifications of candidates for those positions and issue
5 certificates to those who meet the requirements of said rules. ***Such rules shall require all***
6 ***candidates seeking an initial New Hampshire license for administrator, teacher,***
7 ***instructional specialist or educational specialist to obtain passing scores on professional***
8 ***education assessments as determined by the state board of education. Career and***
9 ***technical education teachers may be exempt from this requirement if they pass the basic***
10 ***academic skills testing or an industry recognized credential.***

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AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill requires the department to adopt rules requiring candidates for initial administrator, teacher, instructional specialist, or educational specialist licenses to obtain passing scores on prescribed professional assessments.