

Sen. Prentiss, Dist 5  
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Floor Amendment to HB 440

1 Amend the bill by replacing section 1 with the following:

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3 1 Rules; Scores Required for Education License Eligibility. Amend RSA 186:11, X(a) to read as  
4 follows:

5 (a) Certification of teachers, supervisors, and administrators in the public schools. The  
6 state board shall also examine the qualifications of candidates for those positions and issue  
7 certificates to those who meet the requirements of said rules. ***Such rules shall require all***  
8 ***candidates seeking an initial New Hampshire license for administrator, teacher,***  
9 ***instructional specialist or educational specialist to obtain passing scores on professional***  
10 ***education assessments as determined by the state board of education. This requirement***  
11 ***shall also apply to the teaching staff of a chartered public school pursuant to RSA 194-***  
12 ***B:14, IV. Career and technical education teachers may be exempt from this requirement if***  
13 ***they pass the basic academic skills testing or an industry recognized credential.***