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4 AAC 04.210 is repealed:

4 AAC 04.210. Highly qualified teachers. Repealed. (Eff. 6/13/2004, Register 170; am 3/5/2005, Register 173; am 11/10/2005, Register 176; am 1/19/2006, Register 177; am 5/20/2006, Register 178; am 3/15/2007, Register 181; am 7/25/2007, Register 183; am 8/15/2008, Register 187; am 9/7/2012, Register 203; am 6/27/2014, Register 210; am 4/24/2016, Register 218; repealed 2 / 5 / 2017, Register 221)

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AS OF REGISTER 197 (APRIL 2011), THE REGULATIONS ATTORNEY MADE A TECHNICAL REVISION UNDER AS 44.62.125(b)(6), to 4 AAC 04.210(d)(7).]

4 AAC 04.212 is repealed:

4 AAC 04.212. Objective uniform standards. Repealed. (Eff. 6/13/2004, Register 170; am 9/25/2005, Register 175; am 1/19/2006, Register 177; am 5/20/2006, Register 178; am 9/20/2006, Register 179; am 2/9/2007, Register 181; am 7/25/2007, Register 183; am 10/31/2008, Register 188; am 10/16/2012, Register 204; repealed 2 / 5 / 2017, Register 221)

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4 AAC 06.895(f)(5) is repealed and readopted to read:

(5) the professional qualifications of the teachers, including the percentage of teachers that have a provisional or emergency certificate for a reason other than a provisional certificate issued under AS 14.20.020(h).

(Eff. 11/23/2003, Register 168; am 8/19/2009, Register 191; am 2/4/2011, Register 197; am 6/30/2013, Register 206; am 10/16/2013, Register 208; am 11/13/2014, Register 212; am 12/26/2014, Register 212; am 3/6/2015, Register 213; am 10/9/2015, Register 216; am 2 / 5 / 2017, Register 221)

Authority: AS 14.03.120 AS 14.07.020 AS 14.50.080
AS 14.03.123 AS 14.07.060

4 AAC 06.899(6) is repealed:

(6) repealed 2 / 5 / 2017;

(Eff. 11/23/2003, Register 168; am 6/13/2004, Register 170; am 1/19/2006, Register 177; am 7/25/2007, Register 183; am 2/4/2011, Register 197; am 10/3/2011, Register 200; am 10/16/2013, Register 208; am 11/13/2014, Register 212; am 4/6/2016, Register 218; am 2 / 5 / 2017, Register 221)

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Authority: AS 14.03.123 AS 14.07.060 AS 14.50.080
AS 14.07.020

4 AAC 12.305(b)(5) is repealed and readopted to read:

(5) completed any academic or other training that the department designated, at the time of application, as necessary for professional development, based on student achievement data;

(Eff. 9/29/2005, Register 175; am 9/30/2005, Register 175; am 8/15/2008, Register 187; am 10/31/2008, Register 188; am 9/17/2011, Register 199; am 9/7/2012, Register 203; am 6/27/2014, Register 210; am 4/24/2016, Register 218; am 2 / 5 / 2017, Register 221)

Authority: AS 14.07.060 AS 14.20.020

4 AAC 12.380 is repealed and readopted to read:

4 AAC 12.380. Retired teacher certificate (Type R). (a) The department will issue a retired teacher certificate to an applicant who

(1) possesses a valid professional, master, Type A, Type B, or Type C teacher certificate from this state upon retiring from employment from a position that is eligible for benefits under AS 14.25 (Teachers' Retirement System); and

(2) meets the requirements in (d) of this section.

(b) A retired teacher certificate qualifies the holder to be assigned as a long-term substitute for any position in a public school in this state.

(c) To apply for a retired teacher certificate, an applicant must meet the applicable

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requirements of 4 AAC 12.300, except that the applicant is not required to submit

(1) college transcripts; or

(2) a competency examination designated in 4 AAC 12.310.

(d) To qualify for a retired teacher certificate, an applicant must

(1) be eligible for benefits under AS 14.25 (Teachers' Retirement System); and

(2) have at least three years of work experience in one or more of the

endorsement areas on the applicant's valid professional, master, Type A, Type B, or Type C teaching certificate.

(e) A retired teacher certificate qualifies the holder to substitute teach for a teacher who district authorities know will be absent up to 120 days while the school is in session.

(f) The endorsements on a retired teacher certificate may only be in the areas for which the applicant holds an endorsement on a valid professional, master, Type A, Type B, or Type C teacher certificate and has at least three years of work experience in the endorsement area.

(g) To obtain reinstatement of a professional, master, Type B, or Type C teacher certificate, the holder of a retired teacher certificate must be eligible for renewal under 4 AAC 12.405.

(h) The fee for a retired teacher certificate is \$240. (Eff. 9/29/2005, Register 175; am 6/7/2015, Register 214, am 4/24/2016, Register 218; am 2/5/2017, Register 221)

Authority: AS 14.07.060 AS 14.20.020 AS 14.20.030

4 AAC 18.021(a) is amended to read:

4 AAC 18.021. Employment of substitute teachers. (a) A person employed to replace

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a teacher who district authorities know will be absent for more than 20 days in which the school is in session must possess a valid teacher's certificate **from this state.**

4 AAC 18.021(b) is amended to read:

(b) **If** [A PERSON EMPLOYED TO REPLACE A TEACHER WHO] district authorities know **that a teacher** will be absent for **more than 20 in-session days, the district must employ a long-term substitute teacher**

(1) who holds a certificate issued under 4 AAC 12.305, 4 AAC 12.345, 4 AAC 12.355, or 4 AAC 12.360; and

(2) [THE REMAINDER OF THE SCHOOL TERM MUST BE EMPLOYED] under the requirements imposed by this chapter [IF MORE THAN 20 IN-SESSION DAYS REMAIN IN THE TERM].

4 AAC 18.021 is amended by adding new subsections to read:

(c) If district authorities know that a teacher will be absent for more than 20 in-session days and are unable to employ a qualified applicant who holds a certificate issued under 4 AAC 12.305, 4 AAC 12.345, 4 AAC 12.355, or 4 AAC 12.360, the district may employ an individual who holds a retired teacher certificate (Type R) issued under 4 AAC 12.380 as a long-term substitute teacher for up to 120 days.

(d) If a substitute teacher who does not possess a valid teacher's certificate from this state is hired to fill a vacancy at the start of the school year for 20 in-session days or less, a district must notify the department not later than August 31. (Eff. 1/22/81, Register 77; am

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Authority: AS 14.07.060