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A bill to be entitled 1 2 An act relating to education; providing an incentive bonus for certain teachers who teach 3 4 at second-chance schools or certain schools that serve disruptive, violent, or at-risk 5 6 students; providing an effective date. 7 8 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida: 9 10 Section 1. A teacher who is employed at a second-chance school, an alternative school that serves 11 disruptive or violent youth, or a school that has a student 12 population of 70 percent or more at-risk students who qualify 13 for free or reduced-price lunch programs, which school 14 received a grade of D or E from the Department of Education 15 for the prior school year because it did not exceed the 16 minimum criteria for school performance, shall receive an 17 incentive bonus equal to 10 percent of base salary if the 18 19 teacher contractually agrees to work at that school for a minimum of 4 additional years and meets three of the following 20 21 requirements: 22 (1) Holds a Masters or Doctoral degree; 23 (2) Meets the National Board of Professional Teachers Standards Certification requirement; 24 25 (3) Received an exemplary evaluation for each of the 2 26 prior years; or 27 (4) Has served as a member of the school advisory 28 council. 29 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2000. 30 31

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