

## CHAMBER ACTION

Senate House Comm: RCS 2/20/2008

The Committee on Education Pre-K - 12 (Wise) recommended the following amendment:

## Senate Amendment

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Delete line(s) 15-34 and insert:

- (a) Achievement of passing scores on subject area examinations required by state board rule, which may include, but need not be limited to, world languages in Arabic, Chinese, Farsi, French, German, Greek, Haitian Creole, Hebrew, Hindi, Italian, Japanese, Portuguese, Russian, and Spanish;
- (b) Completion of a bachelor's degree or higher and verification of the attainment of an oral proficiency interview score above the intermediate level and a written proficiency score above the intermediate level on a test administered by the

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American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages for which there is no Florida-developed examination;

(c) (b) Completion of the subject area specialization requirements specified in state board rule and verification of the attainment of the essential subject matter competencies by the district school superintendent of the employing school district or chief administrative officer of the employing statesupported or private school for a subject area for which a subject area examination has not been developed and required by state board rule;

(d) <del>(e)</del> Completion of the subject area specialization requirements specified in state board rule for a subject coverage requiring a master's or higher degree and achievement of a passing score on the subject area examination specified in state board rule;

(e) (d) A valid professional standard teaching certificate issued by another state; or

(f) (e) A valid certificate issued by the National Board for