

By Senator Book

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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to teacher certification fees;
3 amending s. 1012.59, F.S.; requiring the State Board
4 of Education to waive certain fees relating to teacher
5 certifications for a specified time period; providing
6 an effective date.

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8 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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10 Section 1. Subsection (4) is added to section 1012.59,
11 Florida Statutes, to read:

12 1012.59 Certification fees.—

13 (4) For fiscal years 2023-2024, 2024-2025, and 2025-2026,
14 the State Board of Education shall waive initial general
15 knowledge, professional education, and subject area examination
16 fees, certification fees, certification renewal fees, and fees
17 associated with removing a subject area designation from a
18 certificate for all individuals.

19 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2023.