

SB0226



102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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Introduced 2/17/2021, by Sen. Kimberly A. Lightford

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

105 ILCS 5/21A-5

Amends the New Teacher Induction and Mentoring Article of the School Code. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning definitions.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning education.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The School Code is amended by changing Section
5 21A-5 as follows:

6 (105 ILCS 5/21A-5)

7 Sec. 21A-5. Definitions. In this Article:

8 "New teacher" means the ~~the~~ holder of a professional
9 educator license, as set forth in Section 21B-20 of this Code,
10 who is employed by a public school and who has not previously
11 participated in a new teacher induction and mentoring program
12 required by this Article, except as provided in Section 21A-25
13 of this Code.

14 "Public school" means any school operating pursuant to the
15 authority of this Code, including without limitation a school
16 district, a charter school, a cooperative or joint agreement
17 with a governing body or board of control, and a school
18 operated by a regional office of education or State agency.

19 (Source: P.A. 101-643, eff. 6-18-20.)