

HOUSE BILL No. 2699

By Committee on Appropriations

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9 AN ACT concerning school districts; relating to teachers; amending
10 K.S.A. 2009 Supp. 72-5445 and repealing the existing section.

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12 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

13 Section 1. K.S.A. 2009 Supp. 72-5445 is hereby amended to read as
14 follows: 72-5445. (a) (1) Subject to the provisions of subsection (b), the
15 provisions of K.S.A. 72-5438 through 72-5443, and amendments thereto,
16 apply only to: (A) Teachers who have completed not less than ~~three~~ *five*
17 consecutive years of employment, and been offered a ~~fourth~~ *sixth* con-
18 tract, in the school district, area vocational-technical school or community
19 college by which any such teacher is currently employed; and (B) teachers
20 who have completed not less than ~~two~~ *three* consecutive years of em-
21 ployment, and been offered a ~~third~~ *fourth* contract, in the school district,
22 area vocational-technical school or community college by which any such
23 teacher is currently employed if at any time prior to the current employ-
24 ment the teacher has completed the years of employment requirement
25 of subpart (A) in any school district, area vocational-technical school or
26 community college in this state.

27 (2) Any board may waive, at any time, the years of employment
28 requirements of provision (1) for any teachers employed by it.

29 (3) The provisions of this subsection are subject to the provisions of
30 K.S.A. 72-5446, and amendments thereto.

31 (b) The provisions of K.S.A. 72-5438 through 72-5443, and amend-
32 ments thereto, do not apply to any teacher whose license has been non-
33 renewed or revoked by the state board of education for the reason that
34 the teacher: (1) Has been convicted of a felony under K.S.A. 2009 Supp.
35 21-36a01 through 21-36a17, and amendments thereto; (2) has been con-
36 victed of a felony described in any section of article 34 of chapter 21 of
37 the Kansas Statutes Annotated or an act described in K.S.A. 21-3412 or
38 K.S.A. 21-3412a, and amendments thereto, if the victim is a minor or
39 student; (3) has been convicted of a felony described in any section of
40 article 35 of chapter 21 of the Kansas Statutes Annotated, or has been
41 convicted of an act described in K.S.A. 21-3517 and amendments thereto,
42 if the victim is a minor or student; (4) has been convicted of any act
43 described in any section of article 36 of chapter 21 of the Kansas Statutes

1 Annotated; (5) has been convicted of a felony described in article 37 of
2 chapter 21 of the Kansas Statutes Annotated; (6) has been convicted of
3 an attempt under K.S.A. 21-3301, and amendments thereto, to commit
4 any act specified in this subsection; (7) has been convicted of any act
5 which is described in K.S.A. 21-4301, 21-4301a or 21-4301c, and amend-
6 ments thereto; (8) has been convicted in another state or by the federal
7 government of an act similar to any act described in this subsection; or
8 (9) has entered into a criminal diversion agreement after having been
9 charged with any offense described in this subsection.

10 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2009 Supp. 72-5445 is hereby repealed.

11 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its
12 publication in the statute book.