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## Bill Summary =

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## **Overview**

Proposes to allow employing school districts to use information currently available on the department of children, families and learning website to verify that a teacher is fully qualified/licensed instead of requiring teachers to file a certified copy of their teaching license with the employing school district.

## Section

District verification of teacher licenses. Strikes a requirement that teachers file a certified copy of their teaching license in the employing school district. Requires employing school districts and charter schools to use the Minnesota education licensing system available on the department of children, families and learning website to verify that a teacher is fully licensed.

Makes this section effective for the 2003-2004 school year and later.