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Bill Summary

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Overview

Limits to five years the length of a teacher's leave of absence to teach at a charter school and gives school boards discretion to extend the leave.

Section

1 **Leave to teach in a charter school.** Limits to five years the length of a teacher's leave of absence to teach at a charter school. Gives school boards the discretion to extend the leave of absence.

Makes this section effective immediately and applicable to approval of leaves and extensions of leaves made after that date.

Grants a one-year extension for the 2003-2004 school year only to a teacher on a leave of absence to teach at a charter school who has taught five or more years as of the 2003-2004 school year.