## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## SENATE BILL No. 1608 Session of 1996

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## AN ACT

- Amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), entitled "An act relating to the public school system, including certain provisions applicable as well to private and parochial schools; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto," further providing for eligible lists of persons qualified to teach.
- 7 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 8 hereby enacts as follows:
- 9 Section 1. Section 2110 of the act of March 10, 1949
- 10 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, is
- 11 amended to read:
- 12 Section 2110. Eligible Lists of Persons Qualified to Teach;
- 13 Appointments.--(a) Eligible lists, properly classified
- 14 containing the names of persons who have received certificates
- 15 of qualifications to teach, and arranged as nearly as possible
- 16 in the order of rank or standing, shall be kept in the office of
- 17 the superintendent of schools, and shall be open to inspection
- 18 by members of the board of public education, associate and
- 19 district superintendents, and principals.

- 1 (b) Except as superintendent of schools, associate
- 2 superintendent, assistant district superintendent, director of a
- 3 special branch, or as a principal of a high school, junior high
- 4 school, state teachers' college, or vocational school, no person
- 5 shall be appointed, promoted, or transferred to any educational
- 6 position in the public school system, in school districts of the
- 7 first class, whose name does not appear among the three highest
- 8 names upon the proper eligible list[.], and in school districts
- 9 of the first class A, whose name does not appear among the top
- 10 five names upon the proper eligible list, or within the top ten
- 11 per centum (10%) of the names upon the list, whichever is
- 12 greater. No person holding a position at the time of the passage
- 13 of this act shall be displaced by the above provisions.
- 14 Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.