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OUT-OF-STATE EDUCATOR APPLICANTS: 2019 LEGISLATION AFFECTING EDUCATOR CERTIFICATION

Public Act 19-74: An Act Concerning Minority Teacher Recruitment and Retention

- **Advanced Degree in Lieu of Bachelor's Degree (Section 6):**
Effective July 1, 2019, an advanced degree from a regionally accredited U.S. college or university may be accepted in lieu of a bachelor's degree for candidates who have completed an approved educator preparation program but did not complete a bachelor's degree at an accredited U.S. institution.



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