

## Session 113 - (1999-2000)

### S 1260 General Bill, By Mescher

**Summary:** School districts, psychologist certified by national association, certification and recertification; Teachers  
Psychology

A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 59-26-87 SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGISTS CERTIFIED BY THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGISTS (NASP) SHALL HAVE A RECERTIFICATION CYCLE CONSISTENT WITH THE RECERTIFICATION CYCLE FOR NASP CERTIFICATION, AND THAT SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGISTS MOVING INTO THIS STATE SHALL BE EXEMPT FROM CERTAIN STATE CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS, AND TO PROVIDE THAT SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGISTS SHALL RECEIVE A SPECIFIED INCREASE IN PAY AND MAY BE REIMBURSED ON A LOAN AND FORGIVENESS BASIS FOR THE COST OF NASP CERTIFICATION.

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