



2024 South Dakota Legislature

House Bill 1187

HOUSE EDUCATION ENGROSSED

Introduced by: **Representative Sauder**

1 **An Act to create a one-year career and technical education instructor educator**
 2 **permit.**

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

4 **Section 1. That chapter 13-42 be amended with a NEW SECTION:**

5 The secretary may issue a one-year career and technical education (CTE) instructor
 6 educator permit to an applicant who submits documentation showing that the applicant
 7 holds a minimum of an associate of applied science degree or higher or has a high school
 8 diploma or its equivalent and has completed at least two thousand hours of work
 9 experience in a related CTE field or has a national or state certification in a related CTE
 10 field. An individual who holds an active one-year CTE instructor educator permit is
 11 considered certified pursuant to this chapter.

12 The applicant must submit documentation from a public or department-accredited
 13 school showing that the school is unable to hire a certified educator to fill the vacancy and
 14 listing the position to be held by the applicant and the name of the certified teacher who
 15 will act as a mentor to the applicant. The applicant must submit the required
 16 documentation on forms approved by the secretary.

17 The South Dakota Board of Education Standards shall promulgate rules, pursuant
 18 to chapter 1-26, establishing the process by which an applicant may apply for the one-
 19 year CTE instructor educator permit, the CTE career pathway endorsements that the
 20 applicant for the one-year CTE instructor educator permit is eligible to add to the permit,
 21 and what continuing education an individual must complete to renew the one-year CTE
 22 instructor educator permit. The educator permit may not be renewed for more than one
 23 year at a time.