

March 4, 1999

**H 274. ASS'T PRINCIPAL PROVISIONAL CERT (=S 225).** *TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING CERTIFICATION OF ASSISTANT PRINCIPALS.* Identical to S 225, introduced 3/4/99.

**Intro. by Warner and Yongue.**

Ref. to Education

GS 115C

March 22, 1999

**H 274. ASS'T PRINCIPAL PROVISIONAL CERT.** Intro. 3/4/99. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Requires the employee holding the certificate to enroll in an approved program leading to a masters degree in school administration before the provisional certificate expires. Amends GS 115C-289(b) to provide that holders of a provisional assistant principal's certificate shall be employed under GS 115C-287.1(h), a newly-enacted section that provides a local board may enter into 1-year contracts with an administrator who holds a provisional assistant principal's certificate. If the administrator held career status as a teacher in the local school administrative unit prior to being employed as an assistant principal and the State Board for any reason does not extend the school administrator's provisional assistant principal's certificate, the administrator shall retain career status as a teacher unless the administrator voluntarily relinquished that right or is dismissed or demoted under GS 115C-325.

July 7, 1999

**H 274. ASS'T PRINCIPAL PROVISIONAL CERT./AB.** Intro. 3/4/99. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Permits board to issue one-year provisional assistant principal's certificate if board determines there is a shortage of persons who hold or are qualified to hold a principal's certificate and the employee enrolls in an approved program leading to a masters degree in school administration before the provisional certificate expires, or the employee is enrolled in an approved masters in school administration program and is participating in the required internship under the masters program. Deletes changes to GS 115C-289(b) and GS 115C-287.1(h).