

ONE HUNDRED NINTH LEGISLATURE

FIRST SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 204

Introduced by Juarez, 5; Cavanaugh, J., 9; Cavanaugh, M., 6; DeBoer, 10;
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PURPOSE: The purpose of this resolution is to propose an interim study to examine the causes of burnout in kindergarten through twelfth grade teachers and its impact on teachers and students. The study shall include, but need not be limited to, an examination of the following factors: Educational mandates, administrative burdens, classroom discipline issues, educational funding, emotional demands, workloads, safety issues, salaries, and staff shortages. The study shall also examine what the state can do to mitigate teacher burnout and incentivize retention.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST SESSION:

1. That the Education Committee of the Legislature shall be designated to conduct an interim study to carry out the purposes of this resolution.

2. That the committee shall upon the conclusion of its study make a report of its findings, together with its recommendations, to the Legislative Council or Legislature.