

**Assembly Bill 447**

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**PURPOSE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT: Implement changes recommended by the Teachers and Leaders Council to the Nevada Educator Performance Framework.**

Conceptual Amendments:

1. Include principal supervisors within the Nevada Educator Performance Framework (NEPF), and require the adoption of associated regulations;
2. Allow a one-year extension of the NEPF for “other licensed educational personnel”, providing they continue to use their current evaluation system during this period;
3. Revise statutes to provide that probationary minimally effective and ineffective teachers receive three observation periods, not as currently provided that there be three evaluations (see NRS 391.3125, subsection 4, and NRS 391.465);
4. Revise the statutory weight for student outcomes in the NEPF from the current 50 percent to 40 percent (20 percent state assessments and 20 percent district assessments) (see NRS 391.3125, subsection 2); and
5. Delay the use of student outcome data for personnel decisions until the 2016–2017 school year.
6. Allow districts to apply to the State Board of Education to use a comparable evaluation tool with aligned to standards and indicators to the NEPF.

Amendments numbers 1 – 5 are recommended by the Teachers and Leaders Council and amendment 6 is recommended by the Washoe County School District.

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