

A PROPOSED RESOLUTION

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To declare the existence of an emergency, due to congressional review, with respect to the need to amend the Confirmation Act of 1978 to extend the period of time during which a person may be compensated and waive the residency requirement while serving in an interim capacity as the State Superintendent of Education.

RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the “Interim Term of the State Superintendent of Education Congressional Review Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2021.”

Sec. 2. (a) The purpose of the underlying emergency measure is to amend the amend the Confirmation Act of 1978 to extend the period of time during which a person may be compensated and to amend the Jobs for D.C. Residents Amendment Act of 2007 and the District of Columbia Government Comprehensive Merit Personnel Act of 1978 to waive the residency requirement while serving in an interim capacity as the State Superintendent of Education.

(b) Bill 24-204, the “Interim Term of the State Superintendent of Education Emergency Amendment Act of 2021” was adopted by the Council on April 6, 2021 (D.C. Act 24-77) and

37 expires on July 5, 2021. Bill 24-205, the “Interim Term of the State Superintendent of Education
38 Temporary Amendment Act of 2021” was adopted on second reading by the Council on May 4,
39 2021.

40 (c) However, the temporary act is still undergoing mayoral review and has not yet
41 completed its 30-day congressional review period. A congressional review emergency act is
42 necessary to prevent a gap in the law.

43 Sec. 3. The Council of the District of Columbia determines that the circumstances in
44 section 2 constitute emergency circumstances, making it necessary that the Interim Term of the
45 State Superintendent of Education Congressional Review Emergency Amendment Act of 2021
46 be adopted after a single reading.

47 Sec. 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately.