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MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill 292 be amended to read as follows:

- 1 Page 2, between lines 2 and 3, begin a new paragraph and insert:
- 2 "SECTION 2. IC 20-6.1-5-2.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
- 3 CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
- 4 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2002]: **Sec. 2.5. (a) For school corporations**
- 5 **where teachers' salaries, compensation, and other benefits are**
- 6 **determined under a contract reached through collective bargaining**
- 7 **under IC 20-7.5, this section applies to teachers' salaries,**
- 8 **compensation, and other benefits under collective bargaining**
- 9 **contracts that are executed and take effect after June 30, 2002.**
- 10 (b) As used in this section, "approved academic credit" refers
- 11 to academic credit in courses approved by the board.
- 12 (c) For purposes of determining teachers' salaries,
- 13 compensation, and other benefits, the following apply:
- 14 (1) A school corporation shall count in the number of credit
- 15 hours attributable to an individual teacher all hours of
- 16 approved academic credit that the teacher earns beyond an
- 17 undergraduate degree.
- 18 (2) A school corporation may elect to count in the number of
- 19 credit hours attributable to an individual teacher any credit
- 20 hours that the teacher earns beyond an undergraduate degree
- 21 that are not approved academic credit.
- 22 (3) A school corporation shall recognize as equivalent:
- 23 (A) a teacher who earns a master's degree; and
- 24 (B) a teacher who earns an amount of approved academic

- 1 **credit that:**
- 2 (i) is determined through collective bargaining under
- 3 **IC 20-7.5; and**
- 4 (ii) does not exceed thirty-six (36) hours.
- 5 **(d) Compensation for continuing education or professional**
- 6 **development activities that are required in order to obtain or**
- 7 **retain a teaching license shall be determined in accordance with**
- 8 **IC 20-7.5. This section does not limit the rights of the school**
- 9 **employer or the exclusive representative to mutually establish**
- 10 **under IC 20-7.5 compensation for continuing education or**
- 11 **professional development activities that are in addition to**
- 12 **requirements to obtain or retain a teaching license."**
- 13 Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.
 (Reference is to ESB 292 as printed February 15, 2002.)

Representative Thompson