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1 An act to require two out of five school board members to have at least four years of teaching
2 experience.
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4 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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6 Section 1: Currently, there are five school board members for each county in the state of Kentucky,
7 excluding Jefferson County with seven. None of these are required to have any past teaching
8 experience.
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10 Section 2: School board elections will be altered so that each county not fitting this bill's requirements
11 will have a specialized election where only retired teachers may run. If only one teacher runs, the
12 election will not be specialized to prevent the teacher from automatically winning. If no teachers run,
13 the election will not be specialized. This process will be repeated until the board fits the two teacher
14 requirement.
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16 Section 3: Only one teacher election may happen with each election cycle (ex. two teacher spots empty,
17 three spots being run for, only one can be a teacher).
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19 Section 4: Jefferson County will be required to have three members that meet the teacher requirements,
20 since they have seven board members instead of five.
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22 Section 5: The Kentucky Board of Elections will enforce this bill.
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24 Section 6: This bill will go into enactment for the school board elections more than six months after its
25 passage, and will have no cost, as it's just adding a requirement.