

COMMISSION ON GOVERNMENT FORECASTING AND ACCOUNTABILITY

PENSION IMPACT NOTE

102nd GENERAL ASSEMBLY

BILL NO: **SB 0174**

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SPONSOR (S): Hunter

SYSTEM(S): Chicago Teachers

FISCAL IMPACT: SB 0174 makes definitional changes to the requirements for holding the position of “Administrator” in the Chicago Teacher Pension Fund. There is no fiscal impact associated with this bill.

SUBJECT MATTER: SB 0174 amends the Chicago Teacher Article of the Illinois Pension Code. The bill updates antiquated language regarding teacher licensure requirements for school administrators.

COMMENT: The Chicago Teacher Article of the Pension Code currently requires an administrator to be employed in a position that requires a “Type 75 license” issued by the “State Teacher Certification board.” SB 0174 makes definitional changes to update antiquated language. The bill requires that an administrator hold a professional educator license with an administrative endorsement. The bill also replaces “State Teacher Certification Board” with “State Board of Education.” These are purely definitional changes that have no substantive impact.

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