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Ok. I'll call you before I call him.

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On Jan 29, 2016, at 11:01 AM, Veldran, Katherine <KatherineVeldran@gov.sc.gov> wrote:

Regarding your call with Senator Campsen:

He's waiting on a follow up about our recommendations for the qualifications for the Superintendent.

This will be a part of the debate on Tuesday in full Judiciary. Below are the qualifications in S.69 and suggestions from the Department of Education.

He wants the language to be more inclusive. Let's discuss before your call.

KV

### **Qualifications and Salary for the Superintendent of Education**

#### **S.69 (2015-2016) – Referred to Education Committee**

Amends Section 59-3-10 (B) -

The superintendent must have:

1. Extensive experience in the field of education, including, but not limited to, service as a classroom teacher, principal, other school or school district administrator, school district superintendent, or any combination thereof;
2. Extensive experience in the formation of education policy, including, but not limited to, service as a member of a school board or other education policy making body at either the state or local level;
3. Experience in the areas provided in items (1) and (2) and a post graduate degree from an accredited college or university in education or related subject matter; or
4. Ten years of experience as a practicing attorney.

#### **Suggestions from the Department of Education**

The State Superintendent shall:

1. Be an experienced and competent educator;
2. Be a graduate of an accredited college or university;
3. Have at least 2 years of special academic and professional graduate preparation in an accredited college or university; and
4. Have at least 7 years of experience in teaching and administration, with experience in each such category in primary and secondary education

#### **Salary Concerns-**

SC Agency Head

High -\$191,695

Low - \$70,492

Current Superintendent Salary - \$92,007

**State Commissioners/Superintendents of Education**

NC - \$124,676

Georgia - \$127,500

Tennessee - \$211,408

Alabama - \$198,000

Louisiana - \$275,000

Virginia - \$180,796

Maryland - \$210,000

Kentucky - \$240,000

Texas - \$215,000