1 ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 29 By: Brecheen of the Senate and 3 Denney of the House 5 [ teacher certification - certain written notice -6 renewal of expired licenses and certificates - fees codification - effective date -7 emergency ] 8 9 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA: 10 A new section of law to be codified 11 SECTION 1. NEW LAW 12 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 6-108.1 of Title 70, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows: 13 A. No later than October 1 of each year, the State Department 14 of Education shall provide written notice to the last known address 15 of any individual who held any license or certificate issued by the 16 State Board of Education which expired on June 30 of the same year. 17 Notice shall also be provided to the last known district which 18 employed any such individual. 19 If any individual whose license or certificate issued by the 2.0 State Board of Education has expired submits a renewal application 21 and processing fee by December 31 of the year in which the license 22 or certificate has expired, such license or certificate shall be 23

renewed with an effective date of July 1 of the year in which the

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license or certificate has expired, unless other statutory basis exists for denying such renewal.

- C. If any individual whose license or certificate issued by the State Board of Education has expired submits a renewal application and processing fee after December 31 of the year in which the license or certificate has expired, such license or certificate shall be renewed with an effective date in accordance with State Department of Education rules, unless another statutory basis exists for denying such renewal.
- D. The processing fee for late renewal of a license or certificate shall not exceed one hundred fifty percent (150%) of the standard renewal processing fee for renewal applications submitted by December 31 of the year in which the license or certificate has expired, or two hundred percent (200%) of the standard renewal processing fee for renewal applications submitted after December 31 of the year in which the license or certificate has expired.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2015.

SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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