

1 AN ACT relating to education.

2 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:*

3 ➔SECTION 1. A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 158 IS CREATED TO  
4 READ AS FOLLOWS:

5 *(1) Each district level employee of a local school district who is not assigned one*  
6 *hundred percent (100%) of the time to a school in the district and who:*

7 *(a) Holds a current teaching certificate shall provide substitute teacher services*  
8 *in a school of the district for at least one (1) full day of every twenty (20) in-*  
9 *person instructional days in the school calendar; or*

10 *(b) Does not hold a current teaching certificate shall provide substitute support*  
11 *services or substitute teacher services in a school of the district for at least*  
12 *one (1) full day of every twenty (20) in-person instructional days in the*  
13 *school calendar.*

14 *(2) If the substitute services of a district level employee are not needed during a*  
15 *twenty (20) day instructional period, that employee shall provide substitute*  
16 *services for two (2) days during the next twenty (20) in-person instructional days.*

17 *(3) The local school district shall prioritize the use of district level employees to cover*  
18 *daily substitute needs in schools.*

19 *(4) District level employees shall not receive additional compensation for providing*  
20 *substitute services in accordance with this section.*

21 *(5) Each local board of education shall adopt policies as needed to implement this*  
22 *section.*