

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0122

Special educators-workers compensation.

Sponsored by: Select Committee on School Finance
Recalibration

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to worker's compensation; eliminating the
2 inclusion of special education teachers in the
3 extrahazardous occupations category; and providing for an
4 effective date.

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6 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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8 **Section 1.** W.S. 27-14-108(d) (xvi) is amended to read:

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10 **27-14-108. Extrahazardous industries, employments,**
11 **occupations; enumeration; definitions; optional coverage.**

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13 (d) This act applies to governmental entities engaged
14 in an industrial classification listed under subsection (a)

1 of this section and to employees of governmental entities
2 engaged in or employed as the following:

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4 (xvi) Public school educational assistants who
5 provide services to special education students; ~~and~~
6 ~~certified special education teachers and related services~~
7 ~~providers as defined by 34 C.F.R. 300.18 and 300.156 and~~
8 ~~W.S. 21-2-802 and 21-7-303 who provide services to eligible~~
9 ~~students with behavioral, emotional, cognitive, learning,~~
10 ~~physical or health disabilities that require educational~~
11 ~~services to be provided outside of the regular classroom~~
12 ~~because the use of supplementary aids and services cannot~~
13 ~~be achieved satisfactorily in the regular classroom;~~

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15 **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2018.

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