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**Amendment**

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To: Senate Bill No. 380

File No. 478

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**"AN ACT CONCERNING THE EXCLUSION OF STUDENT PERFORMANCE RESULTS ON THE MASTERY EXAMINATION FROM TEACHER EVALUATIONS."**

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the  
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 1. Subsection (a) of section 10-151b of the 2016 supplement  
4 to the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in  
5 lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2016*):

6 (a) The superintendent of each local or regional board of education  
7 shall annually evaluate or cause to be evaluated each teacher, and for  
8 the school year commencing July 1, 2013, and each school year  
9 thereafter, such annual evaluations shall be the teacher evaluation and  
10 support program adopted pursuant to subsection (b) of this section.  
11 The superintendent may conduct additional formative evaluations  
12 toward producing an annual summative evaluation. An evaluation  
13 pursuant to this subsection shall include, but need not be limited to,  
14 strengths, areas needing improvement, strategies for improvement and

15 multiple indicators of student academic growth. For any evaluation  
 16 conducted for the school year commencing July 1, 2017, and each  
 17 school year thereafter, such multiple indicators of student academic  
 18 growth shall include the use of student performance data on the state-  
 19 wide mastery examination pursuant to section 10-14n. Claims of  
 20 failure to follow the established procedures of such teacher evaluation  
 21 and support program shall be subject to the grievance procedure in  
 22 collective bargaining agreements negotiated subsequent to July 1, 2004.  
 23 In the event that a teacher does not receive a summative evaluation  
 24 during the school year, such teacher shall receive a "not rated"  
 25 designation for such school year. The superintendent shall report (1)  
 26 the status of teacher evaluations to the local or regional board of  
 27 education on or before June first of each year, and (2) the status of the  
 28 implementation of the teacher evaluation and support program,  
 29 including the frequency of evaluations, aggregate evaluation ratings,  
 30 the number of teachers who have not been evaluated and other  
 31 requirements as determined by the Department of Education, to the  
 32 Commissioner of Education on or before September fifteenth of each  
 33 year. For purposes of this section, the term "teacher" shall include each  
 34 professional employee of a board of education, below the rank of  
 35 superintendent, who holds a certificate or permit issued by the State  
 36 Board of Education."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	July 1, 2016	10-151b(a)