

BP 4112.1/4312.1 - CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL AND MANAGEMENT AND SUPERVISORY PERSONNEL – CONTRACTS

Note: Pursuant to [AS 14.20.130](#) the School Board may issue contracts after January 1 each year. [4 AAC 18.010](#) specifies minimum requirements for teacher and administrators contracts. Contracts must be signed by at least two School Board members and the teacher.

After January 1, the School Board may issue teacher **and principal/administrator** contracts for the following school year. Contracts shall be approved by the School Board and signed by at least two School Board members.

Note: [AS 14.20.145](#) grants automatic reemployment rights to teachers who are not dismissed or given notice of nonretention or layoff. Nontenured teachers must be given notice of nonretention or layoff by the end of the school year. Tenured teachers must be given notice of layoff or nonretention before May 15. (See 4117.6)

The School Board shall give or mail reemployment contracts to teachers who are not dismissed or given notice of nonretention or layoff in accordance with law. If an employee fails to notify the Superintendent or designee within 30 days after receipt of a contract of reemployment that he/she accepts reemployment, the School Board shall consider the employee to have declined reemployment and shall terminate the employee's services at the expiration of the existing contract. An employee on **family**-leave must **still** comply with the 30-day deadline.

(cf. 4117.4 - *Dismissals*)

(cf. 4117.6 - *Nonretention*)

(cf. 4119.21/[4219.21](#)/[4319.21](#) - *Codes of Ethics*)

Note: Pursuant to [4 AAC 18.021](#) substitute teachers employed for the remainder of the school term when more than 20 school days remain must be employed under employment provisions for regular teachers.

Legal Reference:

ALASKA STATUTES

[14.20.130](#) *Employment of teachers and administrators*

[14.20.145](#) *Automatic Reemployment*

[14.20.158](#) *Continued contract provisions*

[14.20.010](#) *Teacher certificate required*

[14.20.020](#) *Requirements for issuance of certificate*

[14.20.120](#) *Statement of qualifications*

[14.20.215](#) *Definitions*

[14.20.620](#) - [14.20.650](#) *Interstate agreement on qualification of educational personnel*

[14.30.250](#) *Teacher qualifications*

ALASKA ADMINISTRATIVE CODE

[4 AAC 05.080](#) *School curriculum and personnel*

[4 AAC 12.300](#)-[4 AAC 12.900](#) *Certification of professional personnel*

[4 AAC 18.010](#) *Teachers' and administrators' contracts*

[4 AAC 18.021](#) *Employment of substitute teachers*

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