301 Centennial Mall South, PO Box 94987 Lincoln, NE 68509 Ph: 402-471-0739 Fax: 402-742-2359

nde.tcertweb@nebraska.gov www.education.ne.gov/tcert

## Verification of Employment Experience

For a Nebraska Educator Certificate or Permit

NDE 20-009 Revised 6-15

This form is used to verify experience for initial issuance, to renew a certificate, document recency, or meet the basic skills competency test requirement. **A completed application form must also be submitted.** 

Please note the difference in the definition of "experience":

- Experience for issuance of an initial certificate or for renewal of a certificate, is defined as employment half-time or more (FTE .50), for one year. This experience must have been acquired within the last five years while holding or qualifying to hold a regular certificate.
- Experience required to advance to a Standard, Professional, or Administrative Certificate is defined as employment, half-time or more (FTE .50), for two consecutive years. This experience must have been acquired within the past five yeas while holding or qualifying to hold a regular certificate.
- Experience required to meet the basic skills competency requirement is defined as employment, half-time or more (FTE .50), for two consecutive years in an approved or accredited school while holding a valid certificate issued by that state. The certificate must have been issued on the basis of completion of an approved teacher education program.

Social Security Number*		
Name		
Last	First	Middle
Address		
Street	City	State Zip
Position/Assignment/Grade	School Name	School Year
Position/Assignment/Grade	School Name	School Year
Position/Assignment/Grade	School Name	School Year
**Signature of Superintendent or Boo	ard Member	 Date
Official Title:		
**If experience was obtained in a nor	n-public school, the signature of the area or diocesan	superintendent is required.

<sup>\*</sup>This requirement that a certificate or permit applicant provide his/her social security number is contained in Nebr. Rev. Stat. 79-810. The uses that will be made of this number are <u>criminal background check prior to issuance of a certificate and for purposes of data compilation concerning employment of graduates of state approved teacher education programs and employment of certificate permit holders.</u>