OVERVIEW: Section 7.67 of S.L. 2021-180 allows teachers using personal leave on days other than teacher workdays to receive full salary if a reason is provided for the absence. A teacher that does not provide a reason for the personal leave absence on such days will receive full salary minus the full cost of hiring a substitute for that teacher, if a substitute is hired.

This section became effective November 18, 2021, and applies beginning with the 2021-2022 school year.