

Introduced by

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1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15-47-44.1 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 or in the alternative to amend and reenact section 15.1-19-11 of the North Dakota Century
3 Code, relating to school safety patrols.

4 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

5 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** If House Bill No. 1034 does not become effective, section
6 15-47-44.1 of the 1997 Supplement to the North Dakota Century Code is amended and
7 reenacted as follows:

8 **15-47-44.1. School safety patrols - Establishment - Adoption of standards.** The
9 board of a public school district or the governing body of a nonpublic school may authorize
10 school principals or administrators to establish safety patrols at schools under their control and
11 to appoint students to the safety patrols. Any student ~~age eleven or older~~ enrolled in grade five
12 or higher is eligible for appointment to a safety patrol, provided the student's parent or legal
13 guardian has filed written permission with the school principal or administrator. The
14 superintendent of public instruction shall adopt standards to guide safety patrol members in the
15 conduct of their duties and shall specify the identification to be worn and the signals to be used
16 by safety patrol members while on duty.

17 **SECTION 2. AMENDMENT.** Section 15.1-19-11 of the North Dakota Century Code as
18 created by House Bill No. 1034, as approved by the fifty-sixth legislative assembly, is amended
19 and reenacted as follows:

20 **15.1-19-11. School safety patrols - Establishment - Adoption of rules.** The board
21 of a school district or the governing body of a nonpublic school may authorize a school principal
22 or administrator to establish a safety patrol and to appoint students to the safety patrol. Any
23 student ~~age eleven or older~~ enrolled in grade five or higher is eligible for appointment to a
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