

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1490

That the Senate recede from its amendments as printed on pages 1047 and 1048 of the House Journal and pages 849 and 850 of the Senate Journal and that Engrossed House Bill No. 1490 be amended as follows:

Page 1, line 1, after "to" insert "create and enact a new section to chapter 15-40.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the closure of schools in weather emergencies; to"

Page 1, line 3, after "year" insert "; and to repeal section 15-40.1-09.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the closure of schools due to emergencies"

Page 1, after line 4, insert:

SECTION 1. A new section to chapter 15-40.1 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

Weather or other emergency conditions - Closure of schools - Foundation aid. If because of severe weather or other emergency conditions a school or school district remains closed or provides less than a full day of instruction, the school or school district shall make every effort to reschedule classes so that students receive at least one hundred seventy-three full days of instruction. Any school or school district for which the rescheduling of classes would create undue hardship may request that, for purposes of foundation aid, the governor waive the rescheduling in whole or in part. The governor may not grant a waiver for less than a full day of instruction."

Page 1, line 20, overstrike "of instruction time"

Page 1, line 21, after "students" insert ", during which time the students are required to be in attendance for the purpose of receiving curricular instruction"

Page 1, line 22, overstrike "of instruction time" and after "students" insert ", during which time the students are required to be in attendance for the purpose of receiving curricular instruction"

Page 2, line 1, replace "Instruction time exceeding the minimum number of hours per day required for a full" with "If a school's calendar provides for an extension of each schoolday beyond the statutorily required minimum number of hours, and if the extensions when aggregated over an entire school year amount to more than eighty-four hours of additional classroom instruction during the school year, the school is exempt from having to make up six hours of instruction time lost as a result of weather-related closure. In order to make up lost classroom instruction time beyond the six hours, the school must extend its normal school calendar day by at least thirty minutes.

4. A school that does not qualify under the provisions of subsection 3 must extend its normal schoolday by at least thirty minutes to make up classroom instruction time lost as a result of weather-related closure."

Page 2, remove lines 2 and 3

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4. A school that does not qualify under the provisions of subsection 3 must extend its normal schoolday by at least thirty minutes to make up classroom instruction time lost as a result of weather-related closure.

SECTION 4. REPEAL. Section 15-40.1-09.1 of the North Dakota Century Code is repealed."

Page 2, remove lines 24 and 25

Renumber accordingly