

**Fifty-sixth Legislative Assembly, State of North Dakota, begun in the Capitol in the City of Bismarck, on Tuesday, the fifth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-nine**

SENATE BILL NO. 2381  
(Senators Flakoll, C. Nelson)  
(Representatives Clark, Hawken, B. Thoreson)

AN ACT to amend and reenact section 15-40.1-07.7 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to per student payments for limited English proficient students.

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

**SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 15-40.1-07.7 of the 1997 Supplement to the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

**15-40.1-07.7. Per student payments - Limited English proficient students.**

1. In addition to any other payments provided for by this chapter, each school district is entitled to receive ~~three~~ four hundred dollars for each student who has been assessed by the student's school district and determined to have negligible or very limited English language skills as evidenced by a classification of level I or II using the Woodcock-Munoz language survey.
2. In order to receive the full payment provided for in this section, a school district must complete the student assessment required by subsection 1 and forward the results to the superintendent of public instruction on or before October ~~first~~ twenty-fifth of each school year. The superintendent shall distribute the payments no later than May thirtieth of each school year. The superintendent shall prorate payments under this section for any students registering in the school district after October first or departing the school district prior to the completion of the school year.

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President of the Senate

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Speaker of the House

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Secretary of the Senate

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Chief Clerk of the House

This certifies that the within bill originated in the Senate of the Fifty-sixth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as Senate Bill No. 2381.

Senate Vote:    Yeas    47        Nays    0        Absent    2

House Vote:    Yeas    88        Nays    7        Absent    3

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Secretary of the Senate

Received by the Governor at \_\_\_\_\_ M. on \_\_\_\_\_, 1999.

Approved at \_\_\_\_\_ M. on \_\_\_\_\_, 1999.

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Governor

Filed in this office this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1999,  
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Secretary of State