

Introduced by

Education Committee

(At the request of the Information Technology Department)

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15.1-07-33 of the North Dakota Century Code,  
2 relating to the student information system.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 15.1-07-33 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **15.1-07-33. Student information system - Exemption.**

7 1. Notwithstanding any other technology requirements imposed by the superintendent of  
8 public instruction, the information technology department, or the North Dakota  
9 educational technology council, each school district shall ~~acquire PowerSchool~~  
10 ~~through~~ implement the state student information system administered by the  
11 information technology department and use it as its principal student information  
12 system. Each school district shall use a state course code, assigned by the  
13 department of public instruction, to identify all local classes in ~~PowerSchool~~ the state  
14 student information system.

15 2. ~~The superintendent of public instruction~~ statewide longitudinal data system committee  
16 may exempt a school district from having to ~~acquire~~ implement and utilize  
17 ~~PowerSchool~~ the state student information system if the school district demonstrates  
18 that, ~~in:~~

19 a. The district has acquired and is using a student information system determined to  
20 be comparable by the statewide longitudinal data system committee; or

21 b. In accordance with requirements of the bureau of Indian education, the district  
22 has acquired and is utilizing a student information system that is determined to  
23 be comparable by the superintendent.