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October 25, 2021

Ms. Jill Grossman
Assistant Code Revisor
North Dakota Legislative Council
State Capitol
600 East Boulevard Ave., 2nd Floor
Bismarck, ND 58505-0360

Dear Ms. Grossman:

I am writing to submit the Notice of Intent to Amend Administrative Rules. We propose to create 67-11-25, 67-23-07, and 67-31-01; and to amend 67-13-01. I have included a copy of the proposed rules as required by NDCC 28-32-10(1), as well as the Full Notice of Intent. Please contact me should you have questions.

Sincerely,

Jim Upgren
Assistant Director
Office of School Approval and Opportunity
North Dakota Department of Public Instruction
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**ABBREVIATED NOTICE OF INTENT TO REVISE ADMINISTRATIVE RULES RELATING TO
CREDENTIALS FOR SPECIALISTS TRAINED IN DYSLLEXIA, SCHOOL DISTRICT COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS,
POST-SECONDARY TRANSITION PROGRAMS, AND READING CURRICULUM**

TAKE NOTICE that the North Dakota Department of Public Instruction (NDDPI) will hold a public hearing to address proposed changes of N.D. Admin. Codes 67-11, Education Professional Credentials; 67-13, School District Cooperative Agreements; 67-23, Special Education; and the creation of 67-31, Reading Curriculum; at 9:30 AM on Wednesday, December 1, 2021, in the Peace Garden Room at the State Capitol, 600 E. Boulevard Ave., Bismarck, ND 58505.

The proposed rules may be reviewed at the NDDPI Office of School Approval and Opportunity, ND State Capitol, 600 E. Boulevard Avenue, Bismarck, ND 58505-0440. A copy of the proposed rules may be requested by writing to the above address, to the attention of Jim Upgren, emailing jimupgren@nd.gov, or calling 701-328-2244. Written and oral comments may be sent to the above address or telephone number until 5:00 p.m. on Monday, December 13, 2021.

For individuals seeking to attend who will need special facilities or assistance relating to a disability, please contact the NDDPI at the above telephone number or address at least five days prior to the public hearing.

Dated this 25th day of October, 2021.

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THREE READING**

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The purpose of the proposed changes is to create 67-11-25, Credentials for Specialists Trained in Dyslexia, as authorized by changes made to NDCC 15.1-02-16 by HB 1131 of the 67th Legislative Assembly; to amend 67-13-01, School District Cooperative Agreements, to align with changes made to NDCC 15.1-27-16 by HB 1013 of the 67th Legislative Assembly; to create 67-23-07, Post-Secondary Transition Programs, as authorized by the creation of NDCC 15.1-32-21.1 by SB 2269 of the 67th Legislative Assembly; and to create 67-31-01, Professional Development for Grades Kindergarten through Three Reading, to implement changes made in the creation of NDCC 15.1-21-12.1 by HB 1388 of the 67th Legislative Assembly. The proposed rules are not expected to have an impact on the regulated community in excess of \$50,000.

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