

HOUSE BILL NO. 1251  
with Senate Amendments

Fifty-fifth  
Legislative Assembly  
of North Dakota

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Introduced by

Representatives Grosz, Carlson

Senator Wanzek

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15-29 of the North Dakota  
2 Century Code, relating to the authority of school boards.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 15-29 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
5 created and enacted as follows:

6 **School boards - Authority to provide merit or incentive pay.** A school board may  
7 provide additional compensation in the form of merit pay or incentive pay to any teacher  
8 employed by the board, provided the board and the teacher organization have reached an  
9 agreement, either through negotiations conducted pursuant to chapter 15-38.1 or through a  
10 policy collaboratively developed and agreed to by the school board and the teacher  
11 organization, which is based upon objective criteria and does not limit the number of eligible  
12 teachers.