## PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1337

That the Senate recede from its amendments as printed on pages 958 and 959 of the House Journal and pages 744 and 745 of the Senate Journal and that Engrossed House Bill No. 1337 be amended as follows:

Page 1, line 6, after "degree" insert "in counseling"

Page 1, line 7, replace "regionally or nationally accredited institution of higher education in" with "state-approved" and replace ". A person" with "program, with coursework and an internship in school counseling, as required for all counselors by the superintendent of public instruction, provided the person has a valid North Dakota teaching certificate or will obtain one within seven years from the date of first employment under the provisions of this section. The education standards and practices board shall adopt rules relating to the background check of a person hired under this section. All costs associated with a background check are the responsibility of the person being hired. The education standards and practices board shall monitor a person hired under this section to ensure that the person annually completes at least one-seventh of the total credits required for that person to obtain a teaching certificate as determined on the date of first employment under this section."

Page 1, remove lines 8 through 15

Renumber accordingly