

Fifty-fifth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

SENATE BILL NO. 2387

Introduced by

Senator Klein

Representative Weisz

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15-40.3-03 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to payments for students participating in open enrollment.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 15-40.3-03 of the North Dakota Century Code is
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **15-40.3-03. Enrollment - Foundation aid - Tuition apportionment.**

7 1. Once enrolled in the admitting district, the student remains enrolled in the admitting
8 district until the student graduates, moves, the student's parent or legal guardian
9 applies for enrollment in another school district, or the student's parent or legal
10 guardian notifies the student's school district of residence that the student will
11 attend school in the school district of residence the following year. Payment for
12 foundation aid must be made in accordance with chapter 15-40.1. For purposes of
13 foundation aid payments and tuition apportionment payments, a student whose
14 application is approved under this section is considered a resident of the admitting
15 district.

16 2. If the payments received by the admitting district for foundation aid and tuition
17 apportionment on behalf of a student participating in open enrollment do not meet
18 or exceed fifty percent of the admitting district's average cost of education per
19 student, the school board of the student's district of residence shall, on or before
20 June thirtieth of each year, forward to the admitting district payment in an amount
21 equal to fifty percent of the admitting district's average cost of education per
22 student less any amount received in foundation aid and tuition apportionment
23 payments for the student.

- 1 3. Except as specifically provided in this chapter, the provisions of chapter 15-40.2 do
2 not apply to students involved in open enrollment.