

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO REENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2338

That the House recede from its amendments as printed on pages 1028 and 1029 of the Senate Journal and pages 1134 and 1135 of the House Journal and that Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 2338 be amended as follows:

Page 1, line 3, after the semicolon insert "to provide for a legislative council study;"

Page 1, line 19, replace "forty-two" with "fifty-four"

Page 1, line 21, replace "eleven" with "thirty-two"

Page 4, line 25, overstrike "sixty-five" and insert immediately thereafter "seventy-five"

Page 5, line 5, overstrike "sixty-five" and insert immediately thereafter "seventy-five"

Page 5, line 17, overstrike "sixty-five" and insert immediately thereafter "seventy-five"

Page 5, line 29, overstrike "sixty-five" and insert immediately thereafter "seventy-five"

Page 8, line 6, overstrike "sixty-five" and insert immediately thereafter "seventy-five"

Page 8, line 19, overstrike "sixty-five" and insert immediately thereafter "seventy-five"

Page 9, line 3, overstrike "sixty-five" and insert immediately thereafter "seventy-five"

Page 9, line 16, overstrike "sixty-five" and insert immediately thereafter "seventy-five"

Page 9, line 30, overstrike "sixty-five" and insert immediately thereafter "seventy-five"

Page 10, line 13, overstrike "sixty-five" and insert immediately thereafter "seventy-five"

Page 10, line 29, overstrike "sixty-five" and insert immediately thereafter "seventy-five"

Page 11, replace lines 8 through 19 with:

**"SECTION 4. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STUDY OF EDUCATION FINANCE.**

The legislative council shall appoint a committee to study the financing of elementary and secondary schools and the availability of state support for school construction. The legislative council shall ensure that the committee contains a balanced representation. During the 1997-98 interim, the committee shall review the formulas used to equalize state aid including formulas for student transportation and special education, funding sources that would be alternatives to property tax, and any other issues related to the

financing of elementary and secondary schools. The legislative council shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation necessary to implement the recommendations, to the fifty-sixth legislative assembly.

**SECTION 5. APPROPRIATION.** There is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$50,000, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the superintendent of public instruction for the purpose of developing data envelopment analysis for North Dakota school districts, integrating the data envelopment analysis into the schoolmaps system, and updating the profiles of North Dakota school districts, for the biennium beginning July 1, 1997, and ending June 30, 1999."

Renumber accordingly