

Fifty-eighth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

HOUSE BILL NO. 1336

Introduced by

Representatives Maragos, D. Johnson, Nicholas

Senator Traynor

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact two new subsections to section 43-52-03 of the North
2 Dakota Century Code, relating to exceptions to requirements for the practice of interpreting for
3 the deaf and hard of hearing.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** Two new subsections to section 43-52-03 of the North Dakota Century
6 Code are created and enacted as follows:

7 An individual working in an elementary or secondary school who has successfully
8 completed a three-year educational interpreter certificate program of study or who
9 has passed the educational interpreter performance assessment at a grade level of
10 3.5 or higher.

11 An individual who has successfully completed an accredited interpreter training
12 program from interpreting without a certificate for a period of up to two years if,
13 during that period, the individual is mentored by a trained mentor who is either a
14 certified interpreter or a deaf adult.