

**FIRST ENGROSSMENT  
with Senate Amendments**

Sixtieth  
Legislative Assembly  
of North Dakota

**ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1372**

Introduced by

Representatives Wolf, Haas

Senators Bakke, G. Lee, Potter

1 A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for a teacher mentoring program.

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

3 **SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - TEACHER MENTORING GRANTS.**

- 4 1. There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury,  
5 not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$25,000, or so much of the sum as may be  
6 necessary, to the education standards and practices board for the purpose of  
7 providing matching grants for teacher mentoring programs, for the biennium  
8 beginning July 1, 2007, and ending June 30, 2009.
- 9 2. During the 2007-08 and 2008-09 school year, the education standards and  
10 practices board shall award up to five matching grants to school districts for the  
11 establishment of teacher mentoring programs. Each program must include training  
12 for one district coordinator and for as many as twenty individual mentors. District  
13 coordinators and mentors must have been employed as a teacher by the school  
14 district the preceding three school years. Individuals being mentored must be  
15 first-year, second-year, or third-year teachers.
- 16 3. The matching grants provided for in subsection 2 may not exceed five thousand  
17 dollars per school district.