

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1552

Page 1, line 1, after "A BILL" replace the remainder of the bill with "for an Act to require a study of educational delivery to Indian students.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. EDUCATIONAL DELIVERY TO INDIAN STUDENTS. During the 2009-10 interim, the legislative council shall study educational delivery to Indian students. The study shall review the similarities and differences between schools operated within a school district structure, schools operated by the bureau of Indian affairs, and schools operated by tribes under contracts or grants. The study shall address issues of curriculum, teacher availability and qualifications, data collection, accountability, transportation, and special education, as well as challenges stemming from high poverty rates, isolation, limited English proficiency, and inadequate facilities. The study also shall address student counts and spending per student and shall examine possible contractual options for state-supported educational delivery to Indian students. The legislative council shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-second legislative assembly."

Renumber accordingly