

April 6, 2009

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1400

That the Senate recede from its amendments as printed on pages ____ of the House Journal and pages ____ of the Senate Journal and that Engrossed House Bill No. 1400 be amended as follows:

Page 8, replace lines 14 through 31 with:

"SECTION 9. AMENDMENT. Section 15.1-21-02 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

15.1-21-02. High schools - Required units.

1. In order to be approved by the superintendent of public instruction, each public and nonpublic high school shall make available to each student:
 - a. Four units of English language arts from a sequence that includes literature, composition, and speech;
 - b. Four units of mathematics; including:
 - (1) One unit of algebra II; and
 - (2) One unit for which algebra II is a prerequisite;
 - c. Four units of science; including:
 - (1) One unit of physical science; and
 - (2) One unit of biology;
 - d. Four units of social studies, including ~~one~~:
 - (1) One unit of world history ~~and one~~;
 - (2) One unit of United States history;
 - (3) One unit of problems of democracy;
 - (4) One-half unit of United States government; and
 - (5) One-half unit of economics;
 - e. One-half unit of health;
 - f. One-half unit of physical education during each school year, provided that once every four years the unit must be a concept-based fitness class that includes instruction in the assessment, improvement, and maintenance of personal fitness;
 - g. Two units of fine arts, at least one of which must be music;
 - h. Two units of the same foreign or native American language; ~~and~~

- i. One unit of an advanced placement course or one unit of a dual-credit course; and
- j. Two units of career and technical education from a coordinated plan of study recommended by the department of career and technical education and approved by the superintendent of public instruction."

Renumber accordingly