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**ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1092** 

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**Education Committee** 

(At the request of the State Board for Career and Technical Education)

A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 15-20.4-02 of the North

Dakota Century Code, relating to exemption of certain institutions from regulation by the state

board for career and technical education; and to amend and reenact <u>subsection 2 of section</u>

15-20.4-03 and subsections 2 and 12 of section 43-12.1-04 of the North Dakota Century Code,

relating to <u>authorization to operate academic or professional postsecondary educational</u>

institutions and exemptions from the Nurse Practices Act.

## 7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

**SECTION 1.** A new subsection to section 15-20.4-02 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

Institutions whose only physical presence in this state consists of students enrolled in practicums, internships, clinicals, or student teaching in this state.

**SECTION 2. AMENDMENT.** Subsection 2 of section 15-20.4-03 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

- 2. Prescribe forms and conditions for, receive, investigate as it may deem necessary, and act upon applications for authorization to operate postsecondary educational institutions. Authorization to operate an academic or professional postsecondary educational institution offering educational credentials may be issued only upon approval of the executive officer and the commissioner of the state board of higher education or the commissioner's designee.
- **SECTION 3. AMENDMENT.** Subsection 2 of section 43-12.1-04 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:
  - 2. A student practicing nursing as a part of an in-state <u>board-approved</u> nursing education program.

- SECTION 4. AMENDMENT. Subsection 12 of section 43-12.1-04 of the North Dakota
   Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:
- 12. Upon written notification to the board by an out-of-state nursing program, a studentpracticing nursing as a part of a nursing education program preparing for initial oradvanced licensure as a registered nurse or licensed practical nurse which isapproved by a board of nursing and is located in an institution of higher education that
  offers transferable credit. A student practicing nursing as part of an out-of-state
  board-recognized nursing education program, upon written notification to the board
  and contingent upon clinical site availability.