

Sixty-second
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

HOUSE BILL NO. 1215

Introduced by

Representatives S. Kelsh, L. Meier, Guggisberg, Mock

Senators Flakoll, Heckaman

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15.1-06-12 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to a requirement for lockdown drills at schools.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 15.1-06-12 of the North Dakota Century Code is
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **15.1-06-12. Emergency and disaster drills - Implementation.**

7 ~~1. Each public and nonpublic school district superintendent shall implement~~conduct fire,
8 tornado, and other emergency or disaster drills, ~~including lockdown drills.~~

9 ~~2. The lockdown drills required by subsection 1 must:~~

10 ~~a. Be designed by a committee that includes:~~

11 ~~(1) The principal of the public school or, in the case of a nonpublic school, the~~
12 ~~administrator;~~

13 ~~(2) A representative of the law enforcement agency that has jurisdiction over~~
14 ~~the area in which the school is located;~~

15 ~~(3) A representative of the fire department that has jurisdiction over the area in~~
16 ~~which the school is located; and~~

17 ~~(4) A representative of any other emergency response entity recommended by~~
18 ~~the listed committee members.~~

19 ~~b. Be designed to include security measures that are appropriate to situations~~
20 ~~involving:~~

21 ~~(1) The release of a hazardous material; and~~

22 ~~(2) The presence of an armed individual on or near the school premises.~~

23 ~~c. Occur at least twice during each regular school calendar.~~

