

HOUSE BILL NO. 1295

Introduced by

Representatives Hawken, Delmore, Haas, N. Johnson

Senators J. Lee, Wardner

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15.1-02-13 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to school district employee compensation reports.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 15.1-02-13 of the North Dakota Century Code is
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **15.1-02-13. School district employee compensation report.**

7 1. Before September eleventh of each year, ~~beginning in 2002~~, each school district
8 shall provide the following information to the superintendent of public instruction,
9 with respect to teachers ~~and with respect to administrators~~:

10 a. The total amount of ~~base salary~~ salaries paid to teachers.

11 b. The total amount of compensation ~~reportable as gross income under the~~
12 Internal Revenue Code ~~paid to or provided to teachers for duties beyond~~
13 those normally performed as a function of the positions as provided in
14 subdivision b of subsection 4.

15 c. ~~Any other compensation paid or provided to or on behalf of individuals~~
16 ~~employed as teachers and as administrators.~~

17 d. ~~Health insurance benefits paid to or on behalf of individuals employed as~~
18 ~~teachers and as administrators.~~

19 e. ~~Retirement contributions and assessments paid on behalf of individuals~~
20 ~~employed as teachers and as administrators, and including individual shares if~~
21 ~~paid by the district.~~

22 f. ~~Any other benefits paid or provided to or on behalf of individuals employed as~~
23 ~~teachers and as administrators.~~ The total amount of benefits paid to
24 teachers.

- 1 d. The total amount of benefits paid to teachers for duties beyond those normally
2 performed as a function of the position as provided in subdivision b of
3 subsection 4.
- 4 2. The superintendent of public instruction shall:
- 5 a. ~~Compile the information required by subsection 1 in a manner that allows for~~
6 ~~accurate comparisons based on:~~
- 7 (1) ~~Full time versus part time personnel;~~
8 (2) ~~A normal schoolday versus an extended schoolday; and~~
9 (3) ~~A regular school calendar of approximately one hundred eighty days~~
10 ~~versus an extended school year.~~
- 11 b. ~~Forward~~ forward a copy of the compiled information to the governor and the
12 chairman of the legislative council.
- 13 3. If any school district fails without good cause to provide the information required by
14 this section on or before September tenth and in the manner directed by the
15 superintendent of public instruction, the superintendent shall withhold all state aid
16 until the information is received.
- 17 4. For purposes of this section:
- 18 a. "Administrator" means an individual employed by a school district in an
19 administrative position and includes a school district superintendent, an
20 assistant or associate superintendent, a principal, an assistant principal, a
21 special education director, a vocational education director, and any other
22 individual whose position requires an administrator's credential.
- 23 b. "Teacher" means an individual, other than an administrator, who is licensed to
24 teach by the education standards and practices board or approved to teach by
25 the education standards and practices board and who is employed by the
26 board of a school district in a position classified by the superintendent of
27 public instruction as of July 1, 2001, as:
- 28 (1) A class 22 coordinator;
29 (2) A class 37 guidance counselor or school counselor;
30 (3) A class 38 guidance counselor designate;
31 (4) A class 40 instructional programmer;

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- 1 (5) A class 41 library media specialist;
- 2 (6) A class 56 pupil personnel service provider;
- 3 (7) A class 59 school psychologist;
- 4 (8) A class 62 speech-language pathologist;
- 5 (9) A class 68 supervisor;
- 6 (10) A class 70 teacher or special education teacher; or
- 7 (11) A class 72 tutor in training.