

**FIRST ENGROSSMENT
with Senate Amendments**

Fifty-ninth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1489

Introduced by

Representatives R. Kelsch, Haas, Sitte

Senators Cook, Flakoll, G. Lee

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15.1-21 of the North Dakota
2 Century Code, relating to school reporting of student progress and achievement.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 15.1-21 of the North Dakota Century Code is
5 created and enacted as follows:

6 **State assessments - Report to parents.**

7 1. Upon the release of state assessment results by the superintendent of public
8 instruction, each school shall issue a report to the parents of each student. The
9 superintendent of public instruction shall format the report to contain the student's
10 individual test scores based on the state standards. The information must be
11 presented in a fashion that allows the student's parents to easily compare the
12 student's progress and achievement to that of others:

- 13 a. In the student's classroom;
- 14 b. At the same grade level in the student's school and school district;
- 15 c. At the same grade level in contiguous school districts;
- 16 d. At the same grade level in the state; and
- 17 e. At the same grade level of the most current national assessment of education
18 progress.

19 2. If a student's parents maintain joint custody of the student, the school may send a
20 report to each of the student's parents.