

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1562

Page 1, line 1, replace "create and enact a new section to chapter 54-06 of the North Dakota" with "provide for a legislative council study of an administrative leave program for state employees to attend certain hearings or meetings."

Page 1, remove lines 2 and 3

Page 1, replace lines 5 through 18 with:

**"SECTION 1. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STUDY - ADMINISTRATIVE LEAVE.**

The legislative council shall consider studying, during the 2009-10 interim, the feasibility and desirability of an administrative leave program for use by executive branch agencies to allow employees to attend legislative hearings or meetings, grievance meetings, disciplinary hearings, labor and management meetings, negotiating sessions, or other meetings or activities jointly agreed upon by the chief administrative officer of the employing agency. The legislative council shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-second legislative assembly."

Renumber accordingly