

**FIRST ENGROSSMENT  
with Senate Amendments  
ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1092**

Introduced by

Education Committee

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

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 15-20.4-02 of the North  
2 Dakota Century Code, relating to exemption of certain institutions from regulation by the state  
3 board for career and technical education; and to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section  
4 15-20.4-03 and subsections 2 and 12 of section 43-12.1-04 of the North Dakota Century Code,  
5 relating to authorization to operate academic or professional postsecondary educational  
6 institutions and exemptions from the Nurse Practices Act.

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

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

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

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

14 2. Prescribe forms and conditions for, receive, investigate as it may deem necessary, and  
15 act upon applications for authorization to operate postsecondary educational  
16 institutions. Authorization to operate an academic or professional postsecondary  
17 educational institution offering educational credentials may be issued only upon  
18 approval of the executive officer and the commissioner of the state board of higher  
19 education or the commissioner's designee.

20 **SECTION 3. AMENDMENT.** Subsection 2 of section 43-12.1-04 of the North Dakota  
21 Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

22 2. A student practicing nursing as a part of an in-state board-approved nursing education  
23 program.

1        **SECTION 4. AMENDMENT.** Subsection 12 of section 43-12.1-04 of the North Dakota  
2 Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

3        12.    ~~Upon written notification to the board by an out-of-state nursing program, a student~~  
4            ~~practicing nursing as a part of a nursing education program preparing for initial or~~  
5            ~~advanced licensure as a registered nurse or licensed practical nurse which is~~  
6            ~~approved by a board of nursing and is located in an institution of higher education that~~  
7            ~~offers transferable credit.~~ A student practicing nursing as part of an out-of-state  
8            board-recognized nursing education program, upon written notification to the board  
9            and contingent upon clinical site availability.