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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1037

Page 1, line 2, after "reenact" insert "subsection 1 of section 15.1-06-06 and"

Page 1, line 3, after the second "the" insert "approval of public schools and the"

Page 1, after line 5, insert:

"**SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Subsection 1 of section 15.1-06-06 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

1. ~~In order to~~To obtain certification that a public school is approved, the superintendent of the district in which the school is located shall submit to the superintendent of public instruction a compliance report verifying that:

   a. Each classroom teacher is licensed to teach by the education standards and practices board or approved to teach by the education standards and practices board;

   b. Each classroom teacher is teaching only in those course areas or fields for which the teacher is licensed or for which the teacher has received an exception under section 15.1-09-57;

   c. The school meets all curricular requirements set forth in chapter 15.1-21;

   d. The school participates in and meets the requirements of a review process that is:

      (1) Designed to improve student achievement through a continuous cycle of improvement; and

      (2) Approved by the superintendent of public instruction;

   e. The school has been inspected by the state fire marshal or the state fire marshal's designee in accordance with section 15.1-06-09 and:

      (1) Has no unremedied deficiency; or

      (2) Has deficiencies that have been addressed in a plan of correction which was submitted to and approved by the state fire marshal or the state fire marshal's designee; ~~and~~

   f. All individuals hired after June 30, 2011, and having unsupervised contact with students at the school, have:

      (1) Undergone a criminal history background check requested by the employing school district; or

      (2) Undergone a criminal history background check in order to be licensed by the education standards and practices board or by any other state licensing board~~.~~; and

g. The school uses North Dakota eTranscripts, or an alternative information system designated by the information technology department in collaboration with the superintendent of public instruction, to generate official transcripts."

Page 1, line 23, after "department" insert "in collaboration with the department of public instruction"

Page 1, line 23, replace "applications" with "official transcripts"

Renumber accordingly