

As an 11th year high school English Language Arts instructor in the state of North Dakota, I oppose SB 2260. Passing this bill will only cause problems for teachers and administration, who are already working overtime to provide high quality public education. As a former West Fargo Public Schools teacher, and a current Central Cass high school teacher, the parents of my students trust my professional choices, and the approved curriculum of my school. Passing this bill suggests that parents should not trust educators. My profession is a monetary and mental struggle. If you turn the students' parents against us, we may be forced to leave. Our school district thrives on being a diverse, but connected community. Do not attempt to pit the community against the school by suggesting educators are not doing the utmost to care and educate students. Sincerely, Mrs. Kristin Stadther