

I am in opposition to Robert (I can't say Bob since I have not seen a note from his parents allowing me to use his nickname, as per his legislation) Paulson's SB 2260. Nor have I seen any kind of documentation of qualified training that these senators and representatives have to legislate education. If they can demand that of teachers, the public can also expect that from them.

After reading through this bill, it seems that this is an overreaction to a non-existent problem for North Dakota. The majority of the issues that this bill aims to rectify in the public school system could be solved more efficiently if parents would take the lead and communicate with their own children. Ironically a bill that implies safety for school children has provisions to remove security cameras from schools.

I can only hope that the ND Legislature can come up with a more thoughtful bill to have a plan in place to replace the mass exodus of highly qualified educators that will be leaving an already sparse underappreciated workforce.

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