Sixty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

## **SENATE BILL NO. 2105**

Introduced by

Senator Beard

- 1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15.1-06 of the North Dakota
- 2 Century Code, relating to the administration of surveys to students in kindergarten through
- 3 grade twelve schools.

## 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

5 SECTION 1. A new section to chapter 15.1-06 of the North Dakota Century Code is created
6 and enacted as follows:

## 7 <u>Student surveys - Requirements.</u>

- 8 <u>1.</u> <u>As used in this section, "survey" means a screening tool, questionnaire, poll, or other</u>
- 9 written document used to obtain information about a student from the student,
- 10 <u>including surveys related to behavioral health. The term does not include a survey</u>
- 11 administered or approved by a licensed teacher or school administrator for educational
- 12 <u>or extracurricular purposes.</u>
- 13 2. <u>A school may not administer a survey to a student on behalf of a third party other than</u>
   14 <u>the department of public instruction.</u>
- 15 <u>3.</u> If a student's parent or legal guardian has reviewed a copy of a survey and authorized
- 16 in writing that the student may participate in the survey, a school may administer the
- 17 <u>survey to that student.</u>