

FIRST ENGROSSMENT

ENGROSSED 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 **Student surveys - Requirements.**

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