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State Superintendent

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Mr. John Walstad, Code Revisor
North Dakota Legislative Council
State Capitol
Bismarck, ND 58505-0360

Dear Mr. Walstad:

Enclosed for filing in the Office of Legislative Council is the Notice of Intent to Adopt, Amend, and Repeal Administrative Rules and a copy of the proposed rules (listed below) as required by N.D.C.C. sec. 28-32-10(1).

- Amending 67-09-01: Approval for School Construction Estimated to Cost More Than Twenty-five Thousand Dollars
- Amending 67-10-01: School Construction Loan Application and Loan Approval
- Amending 67-11-04: Library Media Credential
- Amending 67-11-05: School Counselor Credentials
- Amending 67-16-01-04: Alternative Education Program
- Amending 67-19-01: Accreditation: Procedures, Standards, and Criteria
- Amending 67-20-01: Summer High School Programs
- Amending 67-24-01: Summer Remedial Elementary School Programs
- Repealing 67-11-01: Driver Education Instructor's Credential

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact us at 328-2262. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Dr. Wayne G. Sanstead
State Superintendent

Enclosures



NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT, AMEND, AND REPEAL ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

TAKE NOTICE that the Superintendent of Public Instruction will hold a public hearing to take public comment on proposed adoption, amendment and repeal of rules to the North Dakota Administrative Code from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., or until no further testimony is offered, whichever occurs first, on September 8, 2009, in the Roosevelt Park Room of the State Capital at 600 East Boulevard Avenue, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505. The purpose of the rule changes are:

67-09-01 – Approval for School Construction Estimated to Cost More Than Twenty-five Thousand Dollars adopts legislative changes and increase the thresholds required for applications for construction approval.

67-10-01 – School Construction Loan Application and Loan Approval adopts legislative changes and gives priority for construction loans to districts that are eligible for an equity payment.

67-11-04 – North Dakota Library Media Credential makes changes to the library credential requirements.

67-11-05 – School Counselor Credentials makes changes to the school counselor credential requirements.

67-16-01-04 – Courses to amend requirements for alternative education programs.

67-19-01 – Accreditation: Procedures, Standards, and Criteria adopts legislative changes and provides clarification for accreditation standards.

67-20-01 – Summer High School Programs adopts legislative changes and provides clarification regarding driver education payments.

67-24-01 – Summer Remedial Elementary School Programs adopts legislative changes to allow grade 5-8 summer school programming in reading, mathematics, science and social studies.

67-11-01 – Driver Education Instructor's Credential to repeal the chapter.

The proposed rules may be viewed on the Department of Public Instruction's website at www.dpi.state.nd.us/resource/rules/proposed/index.shtm or a copy of the rules may be requested by writing to: Department of Public Instruction, 600 East Boulevard Avenue, Dept. 201, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505-0440, by phone at (701) 328-2260, or by fax (701) 328-2461. It is not expected that the proposed changes to any of the rules will have an impact on the regulated community in excess of \$50,000. Data, views, or arguments on the proposed rules sent to the Superintendent's Office at the above address or fax number on or before September 18, 2009, will be fully considered.

If you plan to attend the public hearing and will need special facilities or assistance relating to a disability, please contact the Department of Public Instruction at the above telephone number or address at least three working days prior to the public hearing.

Dated this 3rd day of August 2009.

Dr. Wayne G. Sanstead, State Superintendent

To receive future notifications by e-mail, please call the Department of Public Instruction at (701) 328-2262 or e-mail: lgibbins@nd.gov.