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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 2151

Page 1, line 1, replace "three" with "four"

Page 2, line 12, after "2." insert "The board of the school district in which the coalition of service providers is located shall provide advice and guidance to the coalition in all matters pertaining to this Act."

3."

Page 2, line 16, replace "; and" with an underscored period

Page 2, line 17, after "program" insert "that:

(1) Is"

Page 2, line 18, after "15.1-37-01" insert "; and

(2) Incorporates within its curriculum at least ten hours of research-based parental involvement.

c. Has documented the provider's willingness to admit children of all learning abilities into the early childhood education program"

Page 3, after line 13, insert:

"**SECTION 4.** A new section to chapter 15.1-37 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

**Acceptance of children into program - Requirements - Limitations.**

1. If a provider is unable to accommodate all children seeking placement in the provider's program, the provider shall accept children in accordance with a chronologically-based application process or a lottery-based application process, under which children of all learning abilities are equally eligible.
2. The number of children accepted into a program may be limited by considerations regarding space, safety, and availability of personnel."

Page 4, line 1, replace "and 4" with "through 5"

Re-number accordingly