

Introduced by

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1 A BILL for an Act to reimburse school districts for expenses incurred in providing
2 cardiopulmonary resuscitation training to students; and to provide an appropriation.

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

4 **SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.** There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general
5 fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$450,000, or so much of the
6 sum as may be necessary, to the superintendent of public instruction for the purpose of
7 reimbursing school districts for costs incurred in providing cardiopulmonary resuscitation
8 training to students, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2013, and ending June 30, 2015.

9 1. In order to be eligible for a reimbursement under this section, a school district shall set
10 aside one high school class period in a required course of the district's choosing, for
11 the purpose of providing instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation to as many
12 students as possible. The training must:

13 a. Conform to American Heart Association guidelines;

14 b. Include the practice of chest compressions; and

15 c. Include instruction in the use of an automated external defibrillator.

16 2. a. Upon completion of the training, the school district may submit to the
17 superintendent of public instruction documentation verifying the training and any
18 expenses incurred by the district in providing the training.

19 b. For purposes of this section, "reimbursable expenses" include costs for
20 instructors, instructional materials, and training manikins.

21 c. A school district's reimbursement may not exceed the equivalent of \$30 multiplied
22 by the number of district students undergoing the training.

23 3. A school district may combine with other school districts to provide the training or
24 direct that a regional education association provide or facilitate the training.

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- 1 4. The superintendent of public instruction shall provide the reimbursements to school
- 2 districts in accordance with the order in which completed requests are received.