

State of South Dakota

EIGHTY-SIXTH SESSION
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 2011

992S0047

SENATE EDUCATION ENGROSSED NO. **SB 65** - 2/3/2011

This bill has been extensively amended (hoghoused) and may no longer be consistent with the original intention of the sponsor.

Introduced by: Senators Kraus, Bradford, Garnos, Gray, Rave, and Rhoden and Representatives Wick, Bolin, Gosch, Hickey, Hunt, Kopp, Liss, Moser, Nelson (Stace), Novstrup (David), Olson (Betty), Sly, Tulson, and Verchio

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to allow nonpublic schools accredited by certain accrediting
2 agencies other than the Department of Education to become members of the South Dakota
3 High School Activities Association.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

5 Section 1. That § 13-36-4 be amended to read as follows:

6 13-36-4. The school board of a public ~~or the governing body of a nonpublic~~ school,
7 approved and accredited by the secretary of the Department of Education, may delegate, on a
8 year to year basis, the control, supervision, and regulation of any high school interscholastic
9 activities to any association which is voluntary and nonprofit if membership in such association
10 is open to all high schools approved and accredited ~~by the secretary of the Department of~~
11 ~~Education pursuant to this section~~, including any school that allows participation by students
12 receiving alternative instruction as set forth in § 13-27-3, pursuant to the provisions of this title,
13 and if the constitution, bylaws, and rules of the association are subject to ratification by the



1 school boards of the member public school districts and the governing boards of the member
2 nonpublic schools and include a provision for a proper review procedure and review board.

3 The governing body of a nonpublic school, approved and accredited by the secretary of the
4 Department of Education, or the North Central Association Commission on Accreditation and
5 School Improvement (NCA CASI), or the Association of Christian Schools International
6 (ACSI), or the Association of Classical and Christian Schools (ACCS), or Christian Schools
7 International (CSI), or National Lutheran School Accreditation (NLSA), or Wisconsin
8 Evangelical Lutheran Synod School Accreditation, may also delegate, on a year to year basis,
9 the control, supervision, and regulation of any high school interscholastic activities to any
10 association which is voluntary and nonprofit if membership in such association is open to all
11 high schools approved and accredited pursuant to this section, including any school that allows
12 participation by students receiving alternative instruction as set forth in § 13-27-3, pursuant to
13 the provisions of this title, and if the constitution, bylaws, and rules of the association are
14 subject to ratification by the school boards of the member public school districts and the
15 governing boards of the member nonpublic schools and include a provision for a proper review
16 procedure and review board.

17 Any association which complies with this section may exercise the control, supervision, and
18 regulation of interscholastic activities, including interscholastic athletic events of member
19 schools. Such association may promulgate reasonable uniform rules, to make decisions and to
20 provide and enforce reasonable penalties for the violation of such rules.