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AN ACT TO AMEND THE EDUCATION ACT

Statement of Purpose

The purpose of this Bill is to amend the <u>Education Act</u> to provide for the establishment of Boards of Secondary Education; to set out the composition of a Board of Secondary Education; and to establish the powers and duties of a Board of Secondary Education.

Important

This Bill is tabled by the Minister of Education for public review. This Bill does not represent the final policy of the Government of the Northwest Territories and is subject to change after public review and comment. Furthermore, changes of a technical nature can be expected to prepare the Bill for introduction in the Legislative Assembly.

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The Commissioner of the Northwest Territories. bν and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly, enacts as follows:

1. The Education Act is amended by adding immediately after paragraph 2(c) the following paragraph: 5

""Board of Secondary Education"

(c.1) "Board of Secondary Education" means a Board of Secondary Education established by the Minister pursuant to section 53.26;".

2. The Act is further amended by adding immediately after paragraph 2(k.1) the following 10 paragraph:

(k.2) "secondary education program" means an education program authorized by the ""secondary education program" Minister for students enrolled in 15 grades 10, 11 and 12;".

> 3. The Act is further amended by adding immediately after paragraph 3(4)(b) the following paragraph:

> > "(b.1) authorizing education programs;". 20

4. The Act is further amended by adding immediately after paragraph 3(4)(u) the following paragraph:

> "(u.1) assigning students to a school operated by a Board of Secondary Education where the students reside outside the municipality where the school 15 located:".

5. The Act is further amended by repealing subsection 4(4) and substituting the following:

"Application

(4) This section does not apply to a Super-intendent for an education division or for a school operated by a Board of Secondary Education.".

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Clause 1: Paragraph 2(c.1) is new.

Clause 2:

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Paragraph 2(k.2) is new.

<u>Clause 3</u>:

Paragraph 3(4)(b.1) is new.

Clause 4:

Paragraph 3(4)(u.1) is new.

Clause 5:

Subsection 4(4) now reads:

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(4) This section does not apply to a Superin- #Application tendent for an education division._____

6. The Act is further amended by repealing subsection 5(1) and substituting the following:

"Organization 5.(1) Subject to Parts II.1 and II.2, the education system of the Territories shall be organized into education districts in respect of each of which there shall be a local education authority.".

> 7. The Act is further amended by repealing subsection 7(1) and substituting the following:

"Education 7.(1) Subject to subsection 3(2) and Part 10 II.2, every community in the Territories in district which there is at least one school in operation shall be an education district and every school shall be in an education district.".

> 8. The Act is further amended by adding immedi-ately after section 53.25 the following headings 15 and sections:

"PART II.2

BOARDS OF SECONDARY EDUCATION

Establishment 53.26.(1) Where a school established and oper-20 of Board of ated by the Minister provides a secondary edu-Secondary cation program to students from the municipal-Education ity in which the school is located and from outside that municipality and where, in the opinion of the Minister, there are a sufficient 25 number of students from outside the municipality to warrant the establishment of a Board of Secondary Education, the Minister may, bν order, establish a Board of Secondary Education operate that school 30 and to deliver to а secondary education program in that school.

> (2) A school named in the order establishing the Board is not in an education district.

> > (3) An order under subsection (1)shall include

- (a) the name of the Board of Secondary Education:
- (b) the name of the school that the Board of Secondary Education shall operate;
- of (c) the number members who shall 40 comprise the Board of Secondary Education which is not less than five and not more than nine:

Education district

Contents

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Clause 6:

Subsection 5(1) now reads:

5.(1) Subject to Part II.1, the education system of the Territories shall be organized into education districts in respect of each of which there shall be a local education authority.

Organization

Clause 7:

Subsection 7(1) now reads:

Education 7. (1) Subject to subsection 3(2)_every community in the Territories where there is at least one school in operation shall be an education district and every school shall be in an education district.

Clause 8:

The headings and sections 53.26 to 53.35 are new.

	 (d) the date upon which the Board of Secondary Education is established; (e) the date and place of the first meeting of the Board of Secondary Education; and (f) such other matters as the Minister considers appropriate; and the order may be amended by the Minister as he sees fit. 	5
Dissolution	(4) The Minister may, by order, dissolve a Board of Secondary Education.	10
Corporation	53.27. A Board of Secondary Education is a body corporate.	
Appointment of members	53.28.(1) Members of a Board of Secondary Education shall be appointed by the Minister.	15
Term of appointment	(2) A member of a Board of Secondary Education shall be appointed for a term of not more than three years as specified in the appointment.	
Chairperson and vice- chairperson	(3) There shall be a chairperson and a vice- chairperson of each Board of Secondary Education, elected by the members of the Board from among the members of the Board.	20
V ac anc y	(4) Where a chairperson or a vice-chairperson of a Board of Secondary Education ceases to hold office or is unable to act, the Board shall elect from among the members of the Board, a chairperson or a vice-chairperson, as the case may be, to act until the next annual meeting.	25
Honorarium and expenses	(5) A member of a Board of Secondary Education shall receive an honorarium and an amount for expenses to attend meetings related to the business of the Board or to attend to any other business of the Board, as prescribed by regulation.	30 35
Powers of a Board of Secondary Education	 53.29.(1) A Board of Secondary Education may (a) adopt policies and procedures respecting the conduct of its business, the operation of the school and the delivery of the secondary education program; (b) enter into agreements for the purpose of operating a school and delivering a secondary education program; 	40

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(c) authorize work-experience programs for students:

- (d) acquire personal property, by gift, devise, lease or purchase;
- (e) invest surplus funds of the Board in those classes of securities in which of Northwest the the Government Territories may invest pursuant to the Financial Administration Act;
- 10 (f) provide resources for extra-curricular activities and athletic student or sports programs;
- education fees to (g) join and pay associations;
- 15 (h) furnish all students with textbooks supplies. either at no and other charge or at a price fixed by the Board;
- (i) grant an employee in the school operated by the Board a leave of absence 20 for educational purposes; and
- (j) pay correspondence course fees for students.

(2) A Board of Secondary Education shall

- and deliver 25 (a) operate the school a secondary education program;
- approval of the (b) subject to the Minister. determine the courses of instruction for the secondary education program;
- (c) exercise general supervision and control over the education facilities of the school:
- (d) admit all eligible students from the municipality in which the school is 35 located and students that the Minister may assign from outside that municipality:
- (e) prepare an administrative manual that 40 includes the policies, procedures and by-laws of the Board respecting the conduct of its business, the operation of the school and the delivery of the secondary education program;
- (f) require that all funds in the control of the Board be kept in a chartered bank to be paid out by cheques signed by the secretary-treasurer and the chairperson of the Board or any other member of the Board as the Board may 50 designate:

Duties of a Board of Secondary Education

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(g)	arrange for the bonding of the	
()	secretary-treasurer;	
(")	prepare a statement of program objectives;	
(1)	prepare an annual estimate of its	5
(• /	expenditures for the operation of the	5
	secondary education program and pre-	
	sent the estimate to the Minister in	
	the form and at the time required by	
	him;	10
(j)	keep a full and accurate record of the	
	proceedings, transactions and finan-	
	cial affairs of the Board;	
(k)	advise the Minister on capital	
	requirements of the secondary educa-	15
	tion program;	
(1)	provide the materials and equipment	
	required to deliver the secondary	
	education program and the maintenance	
(-)	of the equipment;	20
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	cated to the Board, a program of instruction for each student consist-	
	ent with his education needs and	25
	abilities;	20
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(-,	grams and activities that will reflect	
	the ethnic and cultural background of	
	the students of the school:	30
(p)	subject to this Act, provide a proce-	
	dure for resolving a dispute between a	
	student or a parent and the school;	
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	prepare and submit to the Minister an	35
	academic calendar for the operation of	
()	the school;	
(r)	subject to sections 65, 66 and 67,	
	establish the school day for the school;	40
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(3)	prepare or cause to be prepared statistical data, budgetary informa-	
	tion and reports respecting the opera-	
	tion of the secondary education	
	program, as may be required by the	45
	Minister, from time to time:	
(t)	provide interpreter services where	
	necessary to assist in the proper con-	
<i>,</i> .	duct of meetings of the Board; and	
(u)	procure a corporate seal.	50

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- Direction of (3) A Board of Secondary Education, in exer-Minister cising its powers and performing its duties, shall act in accordance with such directions and policy guidelines as the Minister may issue from time to time. Power to (4) A Board of Secondary Education may dele-
- delegate gate, in writing, any of its powers and duties to the Superintendent for the school operated by the Board.

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Staff

- First meeting 53.30.(1) A Board of Secondary Education shall 10 hold its first meeting on the date and at the time and place fixed in the order establishing the Board.
- Annual meetings (2) Each year after the year in which a Board of Secondary Education is established, the 15 Board shall hold an annual meeting no later than the 30th day of January and the members shall elect a chairperson and a vicechairperson from among the members of the Board for the following year. 20
- Subsequent (3) A Board of Secondary Education shall meet meetings at least ten times each year at such times as may be fixed by the Board and at any other time at the call of the chairperson.
- By-laws 53.31. A Board of Secondary Education may, by 25 by-law, govern its proceedings and provide generally for the conduct of the business of the Board.

53.32.(1) Notwithstanding the <u>Public Service</u> Act, a Board of Secondary Education may appoint

- (a) a Superintendent for the school operated by the Board, a secretarytreasurer and such other staff as the Minister considers necessary for the proper conduct of the business of the Board;
- (b) teachers and other staff in such numbers as the Minister considers necessary to conduct a secondary education program; and
- (c) a principal and such assistants to the principal and supervisors as it considers necessary for the operation of the school, all of whom shall be teachers.

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Powers and duties(2) The Board shall establish the powers and duties of the persons appointed under subsec- tion (1), in addition to any powers and duties of those persons under this Act.Non-application of sections(3) Sections 91 to 93 do not apply to a principal, an acting principal or an assistant principal appointed under subsection (1).5Public service employees(4) A person appointed under subsection (1) is a member of the public service as defined in the Public Service Act.10Interpretation service(5) For greater certainty, the provisions of the Public Service Act, other than those respecting appointments, apply to persons appointed under subsection (1).10Contracting service(6) A Board of Secondary Education may enter its business.15Funding53.33.(1) Expenditures for the purpose of a Board of Secondary Education shall be made out of monies appropriated for the purpose.20Fiscal year (2) The fiscal year of a Board of Secondary Education shall be audited annually by an auditor anointed by the Minister.25Annual audit53.35. A Board of Secondary Education shall, a uting the eacdemic year; (a) states the activities of the Board during the academic year; (b) includes an review of the secondary education program; (c) includes the financial statements of the Board of Secondary education that during the academic year;30			
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Clause 9:

Subsection 56(2) now reads:

Idem (2) Subsection (1) does not apply to a Superintendent for an education division.

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9. The Act is further amended by repealing subsection 56(2) and substituting the following:

(2) Subsection (1) does not apply to a Superintendent for an education division or a Superintendent for a school operated by a Board of Secondary Education.".

10. The Act is further amended by repealing section 60 and substituting the following:

60. The local education authority, the community education council or the Board of Secondary Education, as the case may be, may direct that the school day of schools within the education district or a school operated by a Board of Secondary Education be commenced with a recita-15 tion of the Lord's Prayer, but any student who presents a written statement from his parent or guardian may be excused from class during the recitation.".

11. The Act is further amended by repealing subsection 62(2) and substituting the following:

(2) Notwithstanding subsection (1) and subsection 64(1), at the request of the local educaauthority in an education district, a tion Divisional Board of Education or a Board of Secondary Education, as the case may be, the Minister may declare that, for any academic year, the minimum number of days that schools within the education district, the education division or the school operated by the Board of Secondary Education, as the case may be, shall be in session, shall be not less than one hundred and seventy days.".

12. The Act is further amended by repealing subsection 63(2) and substituting the following:

(2) A local education authority or, subject to the prior approval of the Divisional Board of Education, a community education council, or a Board of Secondary Education, as the case may be, may declare that the schools in the education district or the school operated by the Board of Secondary Education shall be closed for the observance of a holiday for a local purpose, but such holiday shall not exceed one day in any month and two days in an academic vear.".

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Clause 10:

Section 60 now reads:

60. The local education authority <u>or</u> the community education council, as the case may be, may direct that the school day of schools within the education district_be commenced with a recitation of the Lord's Prayer, but any student who presents a written excuse from his parent or guardian may be excused from class during the recitation.

Clause 11:

Subsection 62(2) now reads:

(2) Not thstanding subsection (1) and subsection 64(, at the request of the local education authority in an education district or the Divisional Board of Education, as the case may be, the Executive Hender may declare that, for any academic year, the minimum number of days that schools within the education district or education division as the case may be, shall be in session, shall be a number not less than one hundred and seventy days.

Clause 12:

Subsection 63(2) now reads:

Local holiday (2) A local education authority or, subject to the prior approval of the Divisional Board of Education, a community education council, as the case may be, may declare that the schools in the education district_shall be closed for the observance of a holiday for a local purpose, but such holiday shall not exceed one day in any month and two days in an academic year.

Lord's Prayer

Exception

13. The Act is further amended by repealing subsection 64(2) and substituting the following:

"Consultation

(2) In preparing the calendar for the academic year, the Minister shall consult with the local education authorities, the Divisional Boards of Boards of Education and the Secondary Education, and shall satisfy himself that the dates established for the various education districts, education divisions, education districts within an education division or schools operated by the Boards of Secondary Education meet the special needs of and make allowance for the life-styles of the people of each education district, education division or the places served by the schools operated by the Boards of Secondary Education, as the case may be.".

14. The Act is further amended by repealing subsection 65(2) and substituting the following:

"Altering length of school day (2) The Minister, upon the recommendation of a local education authority, a Divisional Board of Education or a Board of Secondary Education, as the case may be, may alter the minimum and maximum hours set forth in subsection (1) for that education district, education division, education district within an education division or school operated by the Board of Secondary Education, as the case may be.".

15. The Act is further amended by repealing section 67 and substituting the following:

"Opening and closing times

67. Subject to the provisions of this Act, times for the opening and closing of school each day, the recess periods and the lunch period,

- (a) for a school in an education district, shall be established by the local education authority or the community education council, as the case may be; and
- (b) for a school operated by a Board of Secondary Education, shall be established by the Board of Secondary Education.".

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Clause 13:

Subsection 64(2) now reads:

Consultation (2) In preparing the calendar for the academic year_the Executive Hember shall consult with the local education authorities and the Divisional Boards of Education, and shall satisfy himself that_dates established for the various education districts, education divisions <u>or</u> education districts within an education division meet the special needs of and make allowance for the life styles of the people of each education district<u>or</u> education division, as the case may be.

Clause 14:

Subsection 65(2) now reads:

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Clause 15:

Section 67 now reads:

Opening and closing times school each day, the recess periods and the lunch period for a school in an education district__ shall be established by the local education authority or the community education council, as the case may be, <u>subject to the provisions of</u> this Ordinance. 16. The Act is further amended by repealing subsection 72(2) and substituting the following:

"Approval

(2) No special education program shall be established or operated,

- (a) for an education district or an education division, without the approval of the local education authority or the Divisional Board of Education, as the case may be; and
- (b) for a school operated by a Board of Secondary Education, without the approval of the Board of Secondary Education.".

17. The Act is further amended by repealing section 74 and substituting the following:

"Special school outside Territories

"Vocational

courses

74. Where it is not practical or educationally effective to provide, in a regular school or a special school within the Territories, a special education program for a student requiring such services, the Minister, acting on the advice of the Superintendent for the school where the student attends school and at the request of the parent or guardian, may arrange for a student to attend, at no cost to the student, a special school or institution outside the Territories where the type of special program required is available.".

18. The Act is further amended by repealing section 75 and substituting the following:

75. The Minister, in co-operation with the Superintendents, the local education authorities, the Divisional Boards of Education and the Boards of Secondary Education, shall establish, where feasible, vocational courses to meet the needs from time to time of the residents of the Territories.".

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Clause 16:

Subsection 72(2) now reads:

(2) No special education program shall be Approval established or operated for an education district or an education division_without the approval of the local education authority or the Divisional Board of Education, as the case may be._____

Clause 17:

Section 74 now reads:

74. Where it is not practical or educational-Special school ly effective to provide, in a regular school or in a special school within the Territories, a outside special education program for a student requiring such services, the Executive Wember_acting on the Territories advice of the Superintendent for the district or the Superintendent for the education division where the student resides and at the request of the parent or guardian, may arrange for a student to attend, at no cost to the student, a special school or institution outside the Territories where the type of special program required is available.

Clause 18:

Section 75 now reads:

Vocational courses 75. The <u>Executive Member</u>, in co-operation with the Superintendents, <u>Superintendents for</u> <u>education divisions</u>, local education authorities and Divisional Boards of Education, shall establish, where feasible, vocational courses to meet the needs from time to time of the residents of the Territories.

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19. The Act is further amended by repealing section 80 and substituting the following:

80. In sections 81 and 82, "private school" means a school other than a school operated by the Minister, a local education authority, a Divisional Board of Education or a Board of Secondary Education, where instruction in any of the subjects of the elementary or secondary school education program is provided for ten or more students between the ages of six and fifteen years at any time between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. on days other than school holidays.".

20. The Act is further amended by repealing section 84 and substituting the following:

84. Subject to section 85, a contract of employment of a teacher to which this Act applies continues in force from academic year to academic year and, unless terminated by mutual consent, by dismissal for cause or dismissal for incompetence, may be terminated only at the end of an academic year by notice in writing delivered by one party to the other or sent by registered mail at least thirty days before the day set as the closing day of school in which the teacher is employed, or on the 30th day of April, whichever date first occurs.".

21. The Act is further amended by repealing subsection 85(4) and substituting the following:

(4) Notwithstanding any contract of employment or provision of this Act, where the number of teachers required in an education district or a school operated by a Board of Secondary Education is decreased, the employer may terminate the contract of any teacher by giving notice in writing as required by section 84.".

22. The Act is further amended by repealing paragraph 86(1)(b) and substituting the following:

> 40 delav notify the "(b) shall without the local education Minister and the Divisional Board of authority, Education, the community education council or the Board of Secondary Education, as the case may be, of the 45 suspension.".

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Clause 19:

Section 80 now reads:

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Clause 20:

Section 84 now reads:

84. Subject to section 85, a contract of employment of a teacher Treschen' to which this **Ordifities** upplies continues in force from academic year contracts to academic year and, unless terminated by mutual consent, by dismissal for cause or distnissal for incompetence, may be terminated only at the end of an academic year by notice in writing delivered by one party to the other or sent by registered mail at least thirty days before the day set as the closing day of school for the education district in which the teacher is employed, or on the 30th day of April, which ever date first occurs.

Clause 21:

Subsection 85(4) now reads:

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(4) Notwithstanding any contract of employment or provision of this Ordinatice, where the number of teachers required in an education district is decreased, the employer may terminate the contract of any teacher by giving notice in writing as required by section 84.

Clause 22:

Paragraph 86(1)(b) now reads:

Suspension

86. (1) Where, in the opinion of a Superintendent, there may exist grounds for the dismissal of a teacher, the Superintendent

(b) shall forthwith notify the Executive Member and the local education authority of the suspension.

23. The Act is further amended by repealing subsection 86(1.1) and substituting the following:

"Idem

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education authority" (1.1) In this section, "Superintendent" includes the Superintendent for an education division or for a school operated by a Board of Secondary Education.".

24. The Act is further amended by repealing the definition of "local education authority" in subsection 96(1) and substituting the following:

"local education authority" includes a commun- 10 ity education council for an education district within an education division, a Divisional Board of Education, where an education division is comprised of one education district, and a Board of Secondary Education;". 15

25. The Act is further amended by repealing paragraph 96(3)(a) and substituting the following:

> "(a) in the opinion of the Superintendent for the education district, the Divisional Board of Education for the education division or the school operated by a Board of Secondary Education, as the case may be, the child is receiving adequate instruction elsewhere:".

26. The Act is further amended by repealing paragraph 96(3)(f) and substituting the following:

"(f) the Superintendent, after consultation with the local education authority, has stated in'writing that he is 30 of the opinion that no suitable program of instruction is offered in the school that the child would normally attend; or".

27. The Act is further amended by repealing sub- 35 section 98(1) and substituting the following:

98.(1) The Minister, upon the recommendation of a local education authority, may appoint one or more school counsellors for the education district, the education division or the school 40 operated by the Board of Secondary Education, as the case may be, to enforce compulsory school attendance.".

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Clause 23:	
Subsection 86(1.1) now reads:
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Clause 24: The definition of now reads:	"local education authority" in subsection 96(1)
"local education authority"	"local education authority" includes a community education council for an education district within an education division <u>or</u> a Divisional Board of Education where an educa- tion division is comprised of one education district;
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Clause 25:

Paragraph 96(3)(a) now reads:

Exceptions

(3) A child is not required to attend school where

 (a) in the opinion of the Superintendent for the education district<u>or</u> the Divisional Board of Education for the education division, as the case may be, the child is receiving adequate instruction elsewhere;

Clause 26:

Paragraph 96(3)(f) now reads:

(f) the Superintendent <u>for the district</u>, after consultation with the local education authority, has stated in writing that he is of the opinion that no suitable program of instruction is offered in the school that the child <u>normally would</u> attend <u>service</u>; or

Clause 27:

Subsection 98(1) now reads:

School counsellor

98.(1) The Minister, upon the recommendation of a local education authority, may appoint one or more school counsellors for the education district<u>or</u> the education division, as the case may be, to enforce compulsory school attendance. 28. The Act is further amended by repealing section 98.8 and substituting the following:

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"98.8. The Minister may, at the request of the "Application local education authority, by order, declare that sections 98 to 98.7 or any of those provisions or the regulations respecting compulsory an school attendance apply to education district, an education division comprised of one education district or a school operated by a Board of Secondary Education and such provisions apply only to those education districts, education divisions or schools operated by Boards of Secondary Education so declared.".

> 29. The Act is further amended by repealing section 101 and substituting the following:

"Conveyance of students 101. Every Board of Education, Divisional Board of Education, Board of Secondary Education and, in education districts that are not included in an education division and where there is no Board of Education, the Minister, may make arrangements for the conveyance of students in accordance with the regulations.".

30. The Act is further amended by adding immediately before the heading "REGULATIONS" the following heading:

"PART VII".

31. The Act is further amended by repealing paragraph 103(d) and substituting the following:

> "(d) upon the recommendation of the Minister, prescribing the amount of honoraria and expenses that may be 30 paid to members of local education authorities. of Secondary Boards Education, Divisional Boards of Education and community education 35 councils:".

32. The Act is further amended by repealing paragraph 103(u) and substituting the following:

"(u) upon the recommendation of the Minister, prescribing for any or all 40 education districts, education divisions comprised of one education district or schools operated by Boards of Secondary Education, the procedure for conducting inquiry by 45 school an counsellors:".

Clause 28: Section 98.8 now reads:

Application 98.8. The Minister may, at the request of a local education authority, by order declare that sections 98 to 98.7 or any of those provisions or the regulations respecting compulsory school attendance apply to an education district_or an education division comprised of one education district and_such provisions apply only to those education districts_nr education divisions_so declared.

Clause 29: Section 101 now reads:

Conveyance of students

101. Every Board of Education <u>and</u> Divisional Board of Education_and, in education districts which are not included in an education division and when there is no Board of Education, the Executive Member may make arrangements for the conveyance of students in the district in accordance with the equilations.

Clause 30:

The heading "Part VII" is new.

Clause 31:

Paragraph 103(d) now reads:

- Regulations 103. The Commissioner may make regulations for carrying the purposes and provisions of this <u>Sudimens</u> into effect and, without limiting the generative of the foregoing, may make regulations
 - (d) upon the recommendation of the Executive Member, prescribing the amount of <u>honorariums</u> and expenses that may be paid to members of local education authorities, Divisional Boards of Education and community education councils;

Clause 32:

Paragraph 103(u) now reads:

(u) upon the recommendation of the Minister, prescribing for any or all education districts or education divisions comprised of one education district, the procedure for conducting an inquiry by school counsellors or a <u>school counsellor for an education</u> <u>district or an education division</u> <u>comprised of one education district;</u> 33. The Act is further amended by repealing paragraph 103(v) and substituting the following:

"(v) upon the recommendation of the Minister, prescribing additional duties of principals or a principal for an education district, education division comprised of one education district or a school operated by a Board of Secondary Education, respecting school attendance of a child as defined in Part VI;".

34. This Act shall come into force on a day to be fixed by order of the Commissioner.

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Clause 33: Paragraph 103(v) now reads:

> (v) upon the recommendation of the Minister, prescribing additional duties of principals or a principal for an education district<u>or</u> an education division comprised of one education district<u>respecting</u> school attendance of a child as defined in Part VI;

Clause 34: Coming into force provision.