REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE - Senate Education

MR. PRESIDENT:

The Committee on Senate Education respectfully reports that it has had under consideration **SB 175** and returns the same with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

175A

On page 1, line 13, of the Introduced bill, after "student" insert "entering kindergarten through twelfth grade"

And that as so amended, said bill do pass.

Also MR. PRESIDENT:

The Committee on Senate Education respectfully reports that it has had under consideration **SB 177** and returns the same with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

177C

On page 9, line 10, of the Introduced bill, after "a" delete "Any student "

On page 9, line 10, of the Introduced bill, after "receiving" delete "being provided with alternative instruction pursuant to § 13-27-3 is eligible to participate in any interscholastic activity sponsored by the South Dakota High School Activities Association. The parent or guardian of a child being provided alternative instruction shall notify the appropriate school official if the child becomes ineligible under South Dakota High School Activities Association, or under local school eligibility requirements in so far as those standards apply to § 13-27-3."

On page 9, line 16, of the Introduced bill, after "13-27-3." insert "All public school districts shall allow participation in athletics, fine arts, or activities for a child being provided alternative instruction pursuant to § 13-27-3 within the district in which the child resides. The parent, guardian, or other person in control of a child being provided alternative instruction shall submit proof of age when participating in athletics, fine arts, or activities. All children being provided with alternative instruction and participating in South Dakota High School Activities Association activities are held to the same local training rules and South Dakota High School Activities Association transfer and non-academic eligibility rules as enrolled students.

Pursuant to § 13-27-3 and before the current season of the sport or activity the alternative instruction child is participating in, the parent, guardian, or other person in control of a child being provided alternative instruction shall provide the appropriate school official with a copy of a transcript of the previous semester's completed coursework that is issued by the parent or guardian. The parent, guardian, or other person in control of a child being provided alternative instruction shall notify the appropriate school official if the child becomes ineligible under South Dakota High School Activities Association or under local school rules in so far as those standards apply to § 13-27-3.

On page 9, line 18, of the Introduced bill, delete "accredited school" and insert "enrolled"

On page 9, line 19, of the Introduced bill, delete "enters an alternative instruction program" and insert "who will be provided alternative instruction"

And that as so amended, said bill do pass.

Also MR. PRESIDENT:

The Committee on Senate Education respectfully reports that it has had under consideration the nomination of Terry Nebelsick of Beadle County, Huron, South Dakota, to the South Dakota Board of Education Standards and returns the same with the recommendation that the Senate advise and consent to the confirmation of said appointment.

Also MR. PRESIDENT:

The Committee on Senate Education respectfully reports that it has had under consideration the nomination of Steve Willard of Butte County, Belle Fourche, South Dakota, to the South Dakota Board of Education Standards and returns the same with the recommendation that the Senate advise and consent to the confirmation of said appointment.

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Respectfully submitted,
/s/ R. BLAKE CURD
R. Blake Curd, Chair