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FULL NOTICE OF INTENT TO REVISE ADMINISTRATIVE RULES RELATING TO MODIFIED PUBLIC SCHOOL CALENDAR

TAKE NOTICE that the North Dakota Department of Public Instruction (NDDPI) will hold a public hearing to address proposed changes of N.D. Admin. Code 67-15, Modified Public School Calendar; at 9:30 AM on **Thursday, June 4, 2026**, in the Peace Garden Room at the State Capitol, 600 E. Boulevard Ave., Bismarck, ND 58505.

The purpose of the proposed changes is to amend 67-15-02, Reconfiguration of Instructional Days, to rename the chapter "Four-Day School Week" and to update the criteria for which a school district can be approved to operate under a four-day school week. The proposed rules are not expected to have an impact on the regulated community in excess of \$50,000.

The proposed rules may be reviewed at the NDDPI Office of School Approval and Opportunity, ND State Capitol, 600 E. Boulevard Avenue, Bismarck, ND 58505-0440. A copy of the proposed rules may be requested by writing to the above address, to the attention of Jim Upgren, emailing jimupgren@nd.gov, or calling 701-328-2244. Written and oral comments may be sent to the above address or telephone number until **5:00 p.m. on Monday, June 15, 2026**. For individuals seeking to attend who will need special facilities or assistance relating to a disability, please contact the NDDPI at the above telephone number or address at least five days prior to the public hearing.

Dated this 20th day of April, 2026.

Jim Upgren, Assistant Director
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