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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-SEVENTH SESSION

H. F. No. 1917

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Reform
03/14/2012 Adoption of Report: Pass as Amended and Read Second Time

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to education; clarifying the ability of school boards to conduct school on
1.3 certain holidays; amending Minnesota Statutes 2010, section 120A.42.

1.4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.5 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2010, section 120A.42, is amended to read:

1.6 120A.42 CONDUCT OF SCHOOL ON CERTAIN HOLIDAYS.

1.7 ~~The governing body of any district~~ A school board may contract with ~~any of the~~
1.8 ~~exclusive representative of teachers of in the district for the to conduct of schools, and may~~
1.9 ~~conduct schools, school on either, or any, of the following holidays, provided that a clause~~
1.10 ~~to this effect is inserted in the teacher's contract~~ if at least one hour of the school day is
1.11 ~~devoted to a patriotic observance of the day:~~ Martin Luther King's birthday, Lincoln's and
1.12 Washington's birthdays, ~~Columbus Day~~ and Veterans' Day. ~~On Martin Luther King's~~
1.13 ~~birthday, Washington's birthday, Lincoln's birthday, and Veterans' Day at least one hour of~~
1.14 ~~the school program must be devoted to a patriotic observance of the day.~~

1.15 EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment.