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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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H. F. No. 2829

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Policy

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to education; making changes to school district board meetings and charter
1.3 school board meetings; amending Minnesota Statutes 2020, sections 123B.09,
1.4 subdivision 6; 124E.07, subdivision 8.

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

1.6 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2020, section 123B.09, subdivision 6, is amended to read:

1.7 Subd. 6. Meetings. (a) A majority of the voting members of the board shall constitute
1.8 a quorum. No contract shall be made or authorized, except at a regular meeting of the board
1.9 or at a special meeting at which all members are present or of which all members have had
1.10 notice. Special meetings may be called by the chair or clerk or any three members upon
1.11 notice mailed to each member at least three days prior thereto.

1.12 (b) The board must not require a person providing testimony at a board meeting to
1.13 disclose the person's address or other contact information.

1.14 EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective July 1, 2022.

1.15 Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2020, section 124E.07, subdivision 8, is amended to read:

1.16 Subd. 8. Meetings and information. (a) Board of director meetings must comply with
1.17 chapter 13D governing open meetings.

1.18 (b) A charter school shall publish and maintain on the school's official website: (1) the
1.19 meeting minutes of the board of directors and of members and committees having
1.20 board-delegated authority, for at least 365 days from the date of publication; (2) directory
1.21 information for the board of directors and for the members of committees having

2.1 board-delegated authority; and (3) identifying and contact information for the school's
2.2 authorizer.

2.3 (c) A charter school must include identifying and contact information for the school's
2.4 authorizer in other school materials it makes available to the public.

2.5 (d) A board of directors must not require a person providing testimony at a board meeting
2.6 to disclose the person's address or other contact information.

2.7 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective July 1, 2022.