

1.1 Bennett and Jordan from the Committee on Education Policy to which was referred:

1.2 H. F. No. 3489, A bill for an act relating to education; establishing a field trip policy;
1.3 requiring reporting to licensing boards; establishing the criminal offense of grooming;
1.4 amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, sections 122A.20, subdivisions 1, 2; 260E.15; 260E.28,
1.5 subdivision 1; 609.352, subdivisions 1, 4, by adding a subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 2025
1.6 Supplement, sections 260E.065, by adding a subdivision; 260E.20, subdivision 1; proposing
1.7 coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 121A.

1.8 Reported the same back with the following amendments:

1.9 Page 7, line 21, before the semicolon, insert "except as the term is used in subdivision
1.10 2d"

1.11 Page 8, after line 3, insert:

1.12 "Sec. 10. Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 609.352, is amended by adding a subdivision
1.13 to read:

1.14 Subd. 2d. **School violations.** A person 18 years of age or older who commits any of the
1.15 acts prohibited under subdivisions 2 through 2c is guilty of a felony if the child is less than
1.16 18 years of age and the person is, at the time of the act, or has been within the 180 days
1.17 immediately preceding the act, an employee, a volunteer, or an independent contractor of
1.18 the public or nonpublic elementary or secondary school where the child is or was enrolled
1.19 and the person had access to the child through the person's position at the school."

1.20 Page 8, line 5, delete "or" and after "2c" insert ", or 2d"

1.21 Renumber the sections in sequence

1.22 Correct the title numbers accordingly

1.23 With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee
1.24 on Public Safety Finance and Policy.

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This Committee action taken February 24, 2026

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