

1.1 West from the Committee on Children and Families Finance and Policy to which was
1.2 referred:

1.3 H. F. No. 1247, A bill for an act relating to child care licensing; requiring the
1.4 commissioner of children, youth, and families to amend rules on teacher's aides.

1.5 Reported the same back with the following amendments:

1.6 Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

1.7 "Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 142B.41, is amended by adding a subdivision
1.8 to read:

1.9 Subd. 7a. **Staff distribution.** Notwithstanding Minnesota Rules, part 9503.0040, subpart
1.10 2, item B, an aide may substitute for a teacher during morning arrival and afternoon departure
1.11 times in a licensed child care center if the total arrival and departure time does not exceed
1.12 25 percent of the center's daily hours of operation. In order for an aide to be used in this
1.13 capacity, an aide must:

1.14 (1) be at least 18 years of age;

1.15 (2) have worked in the licensed child care center for a minimum of 30 days; and

1.16 (3) have completed all preservice and first-90-days training required for licensing.

1.17 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective July 1, 2025."

1.18 Delete the title and insert:

1.19 "A bill for an act

1.20 relating to child care; allowing aides to supervise children in child care under
1.21 certain circumstances; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 142B.41, by
1.22 adding a subdivision."

1.23 With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be placed on the General
1.24 Register.

2.1 This Committee action taken February 25, 2025

2.2 Chair