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Overview

Repeals the statutory requirement that school boards and the exclusive representative of teachers agree to a collective bargaining agreement by January 15 or face a financial penalty. The 2001 Legislature waived the deadline and penalty for the 2002-2003 biennium.

Section

- 1 Repealer.** Repeals Minnesota Statutes, section 123B.05, that imposes a January 15 deadline by which school boards and the exclusive representative of teachers must sign a collective bargaining agreement or face a state aid penalty to the district of \$25 times the number of adjusted pupil units.