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Bill Summary

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Overview

This bill excludes certain school-age child care programs from licensure.

Section

- **Exclusion from licensure.** Amends § 245A.03, subd. 2. Provides that a school age child care program serving children from kindergarten through grade 12 operated by a nonprofit organization is exempt from licensure requirements under the following conditions:
 - the program provides structured, supervised youth development activities;
 - operates before and after school, or during summer or seasonal breaks;
 - has a director or supervisor on site who is responsible for management and control of daily activities;
 - has written consent from a parent or guardian for each youth; and
 - has provided written notice to the parent or guardian for each youth that the program is not licensed or supervised by the state and is not eligible for child care assistance reimbursement.
- **Excluded school-age programs; right to seek or continue licensure.** Amends § 245A.03, by adding subd. 4a. Allows a program excluded from licensure under section 1 of this bill to seek a license or to continue to be licensed under chapter 245A.
- **Repealer.** Repeals § 245A.03, subd. 2c (school-age child care licensing moratorium that is due to expire on July 1, 2015). Provides that this section is effective July 1, 2015.

