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Bill Summary

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Overview

Allows a student to be excused from school in order to participate in the entertainment or a related industry if the student has a plan to complete the schoolwork the student misses while absent.

Section

Legitimate exemptions. Allows a district to excuse a student from school for up to five consecutive school days and up to five times in any one school year while the student participates in the entertainment or a related industry if there is a plan for the student to receive instruction and complete and receive credit for all coursework and tests the student misses while absent.

Makes this section effective for the 2016-2017 school year.