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LEGISLATIVE BILL 990

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Lambert, 2; Louden, 49; Mello, 5; Nelson, 6;
Nordquist, 7; Price, 3; Wallman, 30.

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Committee: Education

A BILL

1 FOR AN ACT relating to schools; to amend section 79-707, Reissue
2 Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions
3 relating to flags; to provide for recitation of a pledge;
4 and to repeal the original section.
5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. Section 79-707, Reissue Revised Statutes of
2 Nebraska, is amended to read:

3 79-707 (1) The flags of the United States of America and
4 of the State of Nebraska shall be prominently displayed on the school
5 grounds of and, beginning August 13, 2012, in each classroom of every
6 public school in the state on each day that such school is in
7 session, in accordance with the standards prescribed for the display
8 of the flag of the United States of America. For the purposes of this
9 section and section 79-708, public school ~~shall mean all institutions~~
10 means an institution of learning supported in whole or in part by
11 public funds, including ~~those providing a postsecondary education.~~
12 educational institution.

13 (2) On and after August 13, 2012, all pupils enrolled in
14 a school district shall be led in a group recitation of the Pledge of
15 Allegiance to the flag of the United States during the first class of
16 each day that school is open and in session.

17 Sec. 2. Original section 79-707, Reissue Revised Statutes
18 of Nebraska, is repealed.