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# SENATE BILL NO. 1021

95TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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INTRODUCED BY SENATORS SHOEMYER AND ENGLER.

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TERRY L. SPIELER, Secretary.

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## AN ACT

To amend chapter 171, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to school make up days due to incidence of the 2009 H1N1 influenza virus, with an emergency clause.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Chapter 171, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new  
2 section, to be known as section 171.032, to read as follows:

**171.032. 1. In the 2009-2010 school year, a school district may be  
2 exempt from the requirement to make up days of school lost or  
3 canceled due to incidence of 2009 H1NI influenza virus in the school  
4 district. A majority vote of the school board of the school district shall  
5 be required in order to be exempt from making up school days lost or  
6 canceled due to incidence of 2009 H1NI influenza virus in the district.**

**7 2. The commissioner of education may provide, for any school  
8 district in which schools are in session for twelve months of each  
9 calendar year that cannot meet the minimum school calendar  
10 requirement of actual pupil attendance, upon request, a waiver to be  
11 excused from such requirement. This waiver shall be requested from  
12 the commissioner of education and may be granted if the school was  
13 closed due to incidence of 2009 H1NI influenza virus.**

Section B. Because immediate action is necessary to clarify potential  
2 school scheduling problems, the enactment of section 171.032 of this act is  
3 deemed necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, welfare,  
4 peace and safety, and is hereby declared to be an emergency act within the  
5 meaning of the constitution, and the enactment of section 171.032 of this act shall  
6 be in full force and effect upon its passage and approval.

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