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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 year-round educational programs for school districts.

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 171.015, to read as follows:

**171.015. 1. The board of education of any school district, upon
2 adoption of a resolution by the vote of a majority of all its members to
3 authorize such action, may adopt a year-round educational program for
4 the public schools of the school district. The vote shall take place at a
5 public meeting of the board of education.**

**6 2. The school calendar for a school district that has adopted a
7 year-round educational program shall include an opening date and
8 ending date for the school year.**

**9 3. Upon adoption of a year-round educational program, the board
10 of education shall notify the commissioner of education within seven
11 business days.**

**12 4. Any school district that adopts a year-round educational
13 program shall meet all other educational requirements.**

**14 5. For purposes of this section, the term "year-round educational
15 program" shall mean an educational program in which all students
16 attend school no fewer than the number of days required for a school
17 term, as provided in subdivision (9) of section 160.011, between July
18 first and June thirtieth of each school year and in which no vacation,
19 including summer, lasts more than four weeks.**

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