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HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR

HOUSE BILL NO. 678

94TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Reported from the Special Committee on Tourism February 14, 2007 with recommendation that House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 678 Do Pass by Consent. Referred to the Committee on Rules pursuant to Rule 25(21)(f).

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Perfected by Consent March 1, 2007.

D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

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AN ACT

To amend chapter 171, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to school attendance in inclement weather, with an emergency clause.

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 section, to be
2 known as section 171.035, to read as follows:

171.035. Except a school district with an assessed valuation of three hundred
2 million dollars or more and with territory in a county of the second classification, no school
3 district with any territory contained in a county declared to be a federal disaster area on
4 January 16, 2007, that cancelled classes or dismissed classes early for weather-related
5 reasons for any of its schools for any days from January fifteenth to January 22, 2007, shall
6 be required to make up the days or hours lost during such time. School districts in
7 counties not included in the federal disaster area that have missed eight or more days due
8 to inclement weather during the 2006-2007 school year shall not be required to make up
9 the days or hours for six of those days. The requirement for scheduling two-thirds of the
10 missed days into the next year's calendar under subsection 1 of section 171.033 shall be
11 waived for the 2007-2008 school year.

EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.

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

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