

**Senator Wiklund from the Committee on Health and Human Services, to which
was referred**

S.F. No. 91: A bill for an act relating to child care licensing; requiring the commissioner of children, youth, and families to amend rules on teacher's aides.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 142B.41, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 14. Staff distribution. A child care aide in a licensed child care center may be substituted for a teacher during morning arrival and afternoon departure times if the total arrival and departure time does not exceed 25 percent of the center's daily hours of operation. For a child care aide to be substituted for a teacher under this subdivision, the child care aide must:

(1) be 18 years of age or older;

(2) have been employed by the child care center for a minimum of 30 days; and

(3) have completed the training required under section 142B.65, including orientation training and the training required within the first 90 days of employment.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective July 1, 2025."

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 2, delete everything after the semicolon and insert "modifying staff distribution requirements for child care centers;"

Page 1, delete line 3

Amend the title numbers accordingly

And when so amended the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Human Services. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

Malvin H. Wicksel

(Committee Chair)

February 18, 2025.....
(Date of Committee recommendation)