

Fifty-fifth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2097

Introduced by

Senator Freborg

Representative Grosz

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 4-12.2-16 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to the duties and powers of the bee inspector.

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 4-12.2-16 of the 1995 Supplement to the North
5 Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **4-12.2-16. Bee inspector - Duties - Powers.** Upon request, the bee inspector shall
7 provide inspection services to beekeepers, provide assistance in the location of bee colonies
8 for pollination purposes, facilitate the interstate movement of bees, promote improvements in
9 apicultural practices, and work with institutions of higher education to promote the apiary
10 industry. If the bee inspector or a deputy inspector receives a complaint ~~from a beekeeper,~~
11 ~~aerial sprayer, or farmer,~~ the inspector may enter private property during reasonable hours to
12 make an external inspection for the purpose of identifying a colony.