

Fifty-fifth  
Legislative Assembly  
of North Dakota

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1331

Introduced by

Representatives Sandvig, Stenehjem, Gullekson

Senators Mathern, Nalewaja, Thane

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 50-11.1-02 of the North  
2 Dakota Century Code, relating to the definition of relative; and to amend and reenact  
3 subsection 1 of section 50-11.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the licensure  
4 of early childhood facilities.

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

6 **SECTION 1.** A new subsection to section 50-11.1-02 of the 1995 Supplement to the  
7 North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

8 "Relative" means any person having the following relationship to the child by blood,  
9 marriage, or adoption: grandparent, brother, sister, stepparent, stepbrother,  
10 stepsister, uncle, or aunt.

11 **SECTION 2. AMENDMENT.** Subsection 1 of section 50-11.1-03 of the 1995  
12 Supplement to the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

13 1. A license for a family child care home is required if early childhood services are  
14 provided ~~for four or more children ages twenty-four months and under or six or~~  
15 ~~more children at any one time, except when early childhood services are provided:~~

- 16 a. By a relative to only related children;  
17 b. to children from a single, unrelated family, for any length of time; or  
18 c. For a cumulative total of less than thirty days in any twelve-month period.

19 Those persons not required by this subsection to hold a family child care license  
20 may voluntarily apply for and receive such a license.