Fifty-fifth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

FIRST ENGROSSMENT with Senate Amendments

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1257

Introduced by

Representatives Delmore, S. Kelsh, Kretschmar

Senators DeMers, W. Stenehjem, Traynor

- 1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 23-27 of the North Dakota
- 2 Century Code, relating to supervision of emergency medical services personnel; and to amend
- 3 and reenact section 23-27-04.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to emergency
- 4 medical services personnel.

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

6 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 23-27-04.3 of the North Dakota Century Code is 7 amended and reenacted as follows:

8 23-27-04.3. Emergency medical services personnel training, testing, and 9 certification, and quality review. The state health council shall adopt rules prescribing 10 minimum training, testing, and certification, and quality review standards for prehospital 11 emergency medical services personnel. Rules adopted must include a definition of minimum 12 applicable standards, a definition of prehospital emergency medical services personnel, and 13 provide for a mechanism for certifying persons who have met the required standards, and 14 provide a mechanism to review and improve the quality of care rendered by emergency 15 medical services personnel. 16 **SECTION 2.** A new section to chapter 23-27 of the North Dakota Century Code is 17 created and enacted as follows: 18 Supervision of certified emergency service personnel. Certified emergency medical technicians-intermediate and paramedics, who are employed by a hospital and who 19 20 are working in a nonemergency setting are under the supervision of the hospital's patient 21 services management.