

**Fifty-fifth Legislative Assembly, State of North Dakota, begun in the
Capitol in the City of Bismarck, on Monday, the sixth day of January,
one thousand nine hundred and ninety-seven**

SENATE BILL NO. 2044
(Legislative Council)
(Judiciary Committee)
(Senators Traynor, W. Stenehjem, LaFountain)
(Representatives Nottestad, Brown, Delmore)

AN ACT to amend and reenact subsection 7 of section 16.1-01-09 of the North Dakota Century Code,
relating to the submission deadline for initiative and referendum petitions.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Subsection 7 of section 16.1-01-09 of the North Dakota Century
Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

7. ~~A~~ An initiative or referendum petition ~~must~~ may be submitted to the secretary of state ~~by~~
~~five p.m. on~~ until midnight of the day designated as the deadline for submitting the petition.

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

Secretary of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

This certifies that the within bill originated in the Senate of the Fifty-fifth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as Senate Bill No. 2044.

Senate Vote: Yeas 48 Nays 0 Absent 1

House Vote: Yeas 95 Nays 0 Absent 2

Secretary of the Senate

Received by the Governor at _____ M. on _____, 1997.

Approved at _____ M. on _____, 1997.

Governor

Filed in this office this _____ day of _____, 1997,
at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State