

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. 2225
(Senators Holmberg, W. Stenehjem, Traynor)

AN ACT to create and enact a new section to chapter 16.1-08.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the acceptance of campaign contributions by a candidate from federal campaign committee accounts or from contributions made to other candidates or former candidates.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. A new section to chapter 16.1-08.1 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

Contributions from federal campaign committee accounts or from contributions made to other candidates or former candidates limited. A candidate may not accept a contribution in an amount exceeding two hundred dollars from another candidate's campaign contributions, from contributions made to a person who was a candidate within the previous six years, or from a federal campaign committee account unless:

1. The person who makes a contribution from such funds includes with the contribution a statement that the original contributors gave permission to contribute money to another candidate; and
2. The receiving candidate files a disclosure statement with the same office as required under section 16.1-08.1-02 for campaign contribution statements within forty-eight hours after receiving the contribution. The statement must include a copy of the permission statement required of the donating person under subsection 1.

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. 2225.

Senate Vote: Yeas 44 Nays 5 Absent 0

House Vote: Yeas 89 Nays 2 Absent 6

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