

Fifty-fifth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1197

Introduced by

Representatives Poolman, R. Kelsch

Senators Grindberg, B. Stenehjem

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 34-06-15 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to issuing special licenses to employ at less than minimum wage.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 34-06-15 of the 1995 Supplement to the North
5 Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **34-06-15. Special license to employ at less than minimum wage.** The
7 commissioner may issue to an employee whose productive capacity for the work to be
8 performed is impaired by physical or mental disability, or to any ~~apprentice~~ student or learner
9 enrolled in an occupation that usually requires learners or apprentices a vocational education
10 or related program, a special license authorizing the employment of that licensee ~~in an~~
11 ~~occupation in which a minimum wage has been established~~, at a wage less than the minimum
12 wage ~~for that occupation~~. The commissioner may also issue special licenses to community
13 rehabilitation programs for the handicapped which engage in the occupation and responsibility
14 of representing and placing for the purpose of training, learning, or employment of those
15 employees whose productive capacity for the work to be performed is impaired by physical or
16 mental disability. The commissioner shall issue ~~the license~~ such licenses under rules adopted
17 by the commissioner.