

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1342
(Representatives Delzer, Belter)
(Senators Freborg, B. Stenehjem)

AN ACT to amend and reenact subdivision g of subsection 1 of section 57-23-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the abatement of ad valorem taxes when property is destroyed or damaged by a natural disaster; and to provide an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Subdivision g of subsection 1 of section 57-23-04 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

- g. When any building, mobile home, structure, or other improvement has been destroyed or ~~injured~~ damaged by fire, flood, ~~or~~ tornado, or other natural disaster the abatement or refund must be granted only for that part of the year remaining after the property was damaged or destroyed.

SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act is effective for all taxable years beginning after December 31, 1998.

Speaker of the House

President of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

Secretary of the Senate

This certifies that the within bill originated in the House of Representatives of the Fifty-sixth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as House Bill No. 1342.

House Vote: Yeas 94 Nays 0 Absent 4

Senate Vote: Yeas 48 Nays 0 Absent 1

Chief Clerk of the House

Received by the Governor at _____ M. on _____, 1999.

Approved at _____ M. on _____, 1999.

Governor

Filed in this office this _____ day of _____, 1999,
at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State