

Fifty-sixth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

HOUSE BILL NO. 1235

Introduced by

Representative Klemin

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 40-18-22 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to continuing education for municipal judges.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 40-18-22 of the 1997 Supplement to the North
5 Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **40-18-22. Continuing education of municipal judge and alternate judge required.**

7 Each municipal judge and alternate judge shall ~~at least twice within one year after taking office,~~
8 ~~and at least twice each calendar year thereafter, attend and participate in an educational~~
9 ~~session designated for that purpose by the supreme court, unless the judge is excused from~~
10 ~~attendance~~ comply with continuing judicial education requirements established by the supreme
11 court rule. The city shall reimburse the judge for necessary expenses of travel and subsistence
12 as other city officials are so reimbursed.

13 If any judge fails to fulfill the requirements of this section, without being excused by the
14 supreme court, the state court administrator shall report the judge's failure to the ~~commission~~
15 ~~on~~ judicial conduct commission for appropriate action.