Fifty-sixth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

HOUSE BILL NO. 1234

Introduced by

Representative Klemin

- 1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 27-09.1-05.1 of the North Dakota Century
- 2 Code, relating to selection of jurors from a judicial district.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Section 27-09.1-05.1 of the 1997 Supplement to the
North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

6 27-09.1-05.1. Selection of jurors from judicial district - Grounds and method for 7 selection. The court, upon its own motion or in response to a motion by a party, may direct 8 that prospective jurors be selected from one or more counties in the judicial district in which the 9 court is located if the county of venue has a population of not more than ten thousand persons 10 and the court determines that the number of prospective jurors within the county of venue is 11 inadequate to obtain a fair and impartial jury. Following notification by the court, the clerk of 12 court of any county in the judicial district shall submit a specified number of names, with mailing 13 addresses, of the prospective, qualified jurors to the clerk of court of the county of venue.