

**Fifty-seventh Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 9, 2001**

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4042
(Senators Stenehjem, Flakoll, Grindberg, Holmberg)
(Representatives Carlson, Clark)

A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study the feasibility and desirability of a centralized process for administrating noncriminal traffic violations.

WHEREAS, noncriminal traffic citations are processed in the 53 counties of this state before traffic violation information is transmitted to the Department of Transportation; and

WHEREAS, current methods of processing noncriminal traffic citations result in redundancies in data entry, delay in transmitting traffic violation information, and substantial investments of time and personnel by county and city employees; and

WHEREAS, central processing of noncriminal traffic citations through the Department of Transportation would provide a single processing point, a central location for submission of citation payments by traffic offenders, and a central point of reporting for state and local law enforcement;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF NORTH DAKOTA, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN:

That the Legislative Council study the feasibility and desirability of a centralized process for administrating noncriminal traffic violations; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Legislative Council report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the Fifty-eighth Legislative Assembly.

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

Secretary of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

Filed in this office this _____ day of _____, 2001,
at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State