Fifty-eighth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

SENATE BILL NO. 2293

Introduced by

Senators Syverson, Fischer, Lyson

Representatives Belter, Martinson, Wieland

- 1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-04-10.10 of the North Dakota Century Code,
- 2 relating to veterans' cemetery number plates.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 39-04-10.10 of the North Dakota Century Code is 5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **39-04-10.10.** North Dakota veterans' cemetery number plates.

- The director may issue distinctive number plates to individuals eligible for interment
 in the North Dakota veterans' cemetery. The director shall issue a number plate
 under this section upon receiving:
- a. Payment of all other fees required under this chapter for registration of a
 motor vehicle;
- b. Payment of an annual <u>a one-time</u> fee of five <u>nine</u> dollars for deposit in the
 highway tax distribution fund; and
- c. Verification of payment of an annual surcharge of ten <u>fifteen</u> dollars paid to
 the adjutant general.
- 16 2. The department shall collect the fees and surcharge under this section. The 17 department shall report to the legislative assembly on the funds collected under 18 this section during each legislative session. The department shall pay the funds 19 collected under subdivision c of subsection 1 to the adjutant general monthly, who 20 then, within ten days of receipt of the funds, shall deposit five dollars of each 21 surcharge in the veterans' cemetery trust fund and the remaining five ten dollars of 22 each surcharge in the veterans' cemetery maintenance fund in the state treasury. 23 The state investment board shall manage the veterans' cemetery trust fund. At the 24 request of the adjutant general, the interest in the veterans' cemetery trust fund

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- 1must be deposited in the veterans' cemetery maintenance fund for the purpose of2funding salaries, capital improvements, and maintenance of the veterans'3cemetery.43.3.The veterans' cemetery trust fund may accept funds from private and federal
- 5 sources.