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Fifty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

SENATE BILL NO.

Introduced by

Senator Bowman

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 53-08 of the North Dakota

2 Century Code, relating to posting of lands to prohibit recreational uses.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 53-08 of the North Dakota Century Code is 5 created and enacted as follows:

6 Posting of land by owner to prohibit recreational purposes - How posted - Signs 7 defaced. Only the owner of land may post it by placing signs alongside the land giving notice 8 that recreational purposes are not permitted on the land. The name of the person posting the 9 land must appear on each sign in legible characters. The signs must be readable from the 10 outside of the land and must be placed conspicuously on the land. As to land entirely enclosed 11 by a fence or other enclosure, posting of signs at or on all gates through the fence or enclosure 12 constitutes a posting of all the enclosed land. A person may not deface, take down, or destroy 13 posting signs.