Fifty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1510

Introduced by

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Representatives Potter, Ekstrom, Glassheim

Senator Nelson

- 1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to title 65 of the North Dakota Century
- 2 Code, relating to the requirement that an employer provide workers' compensation coverage for
- 3 an employee; to amend and reenact subsection 21 of section 65-01-02 of the North Dakota
- 4 Century Code, relating to the workers' compensation definition of hazardous employment; and
- 5 to repeal section 65-01-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to workers'
- 6 compensation coverage for custom agricultural operations.

## 7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

- 8 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Subsection 21 of section 65-01-02 of the North Dakota 9 Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:
  - 21. "Hazardous employment" means any employment in which one or more employees are employed regularly in the same business or in or about the establishment except:
  - Agricultural or domestic Domestic service.
    - b. Any employment of a common carrier by railroad.
    - c. Any employment for the transportation of property or persons by nonresidents, where, in such transportation, the highways are not traveled more than seven miles [11.27 kilometers] and return over the same route within the state of North Dakota.
      - d. All members of the clergy and employees of religious organizations engaged in the operation, maintenance, and conduct of the place of worship.
- 21 **SECTION 2.** A new section title 65 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and 22 enacted as follows:

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- 1 <u>Compliance with title required.</u> Except as otherwise provide under this title, every
- 2 employer in this state which employs an employee for employment in this state is subject to this
- 3 title and shall pay into the fund as required under section 65-04-04.
- 4 **SECTION 3. REPEAL.** Section 65-01-17 of the North Dakota Century Code is
- 5 repealed.