

**FIRST ENGROSSMENT
with Senate Amendments**

Sixtieth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1086

Introduced by

Agriculture Committee

Representatives Kingsbury, Dietrich

Senator Tallackson

(At the request of the North Dakota Potato Council)

1 A BILL for an Act to provide for a legislative council study of the potato assessment law.

2 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

3 **SECTION 1. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STUDY.** The legislative council shall consider
4 studying, during the 2007-08 interim, the potato assessment law, including the membership,
5 governance structure, and spending priorities of the potato council, the feasibility and
6 desirability of eliminating refunds from the potato assessment law, the effect that eliminating
7 refunds would have on the potato industry in this state and on efforts to promote potatoes, and
8 the effect that eliminating refunds of potato assessments might have with respect to the
9 checkoff provisions of other commodities. The legislative council shall report its findings and
10 recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to
11 the sixty-first legislative assembly.