Sixtieth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

HOUSE BILL NO. 1304

Introduced by

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Representatives N. Johnson, Dietrich

Senator Klein

- 1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 41-09-96 of the North Dakota Century Code,
- 2 relating to secured transaction filing fees.

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

- **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 41-09-96 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:
- 6 **41-09-96. (9-525) Fees.**
 - The fee for filing and indexing an original statement under this title, fifteen dollars
 plus one dollar per additional page. When a nonstandard statement is presented
 for filing, an additional fee of five dollars must be paid. An additional fee may not
 be charged for the same statement to gain protection under the central notice
 system.
 - 2. The fee for filing and indexing an amendment, continuation, assignment, release including continuations, assignments, releases, or subordination correction statements under this title, ten dollars plus one dollar per additional page. An additional fee may not be charged for the same document to gain protection under the central notice system.
 - 3. A fee may not be charged for responding to a request for information from the filing office communicating whether there is on file any financing statement or verified statement naming a particular debtor.
 - 4. The fee for a filing office providing information on specific filings on a particular debtor, including listing up to four lines of collateral covered by each filing, is seven dollars per debtor for the first five entries, plus two dollars for each additional five entries or fraction thereafter.

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- The fee for a filing office providing copies of each filing for a particular debtor is
 seven dollars per debtor plus two dollars per page for each page over three pages.
 - 6. The fee for a filing office providing certified copies of filings on a particular debtor is seven dollars plus one dollar per page for attachments.
 - 7. For furnishing copies only of a filed instrument, one dollar per printed page.
 - 8. Any fees collected by the secretary of state pursuant to this chapter must be deposited in the general fund in the state treasury, except the fees collected under subsection 6 of section 41-09-94, must be deposited in the secretary of state's general services operating fund.