Sixty-first Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

HOUSE BILL NO. 1184

Introduced by

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Representatives Delmore, DeKrey, Griffin, Kretschmar Senators Lyson, Schneider

- 1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 12.1-23-12.1 of the North Dakota Century Code,
- 2 relating to the preparation and filing of identity theft incident reports.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

- 4 **SECTION 1.** Section 12.1-23-12.1 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and 5 enacted as follows:
- 6 <u>12.1-23-12.1. Identity theft incident report.</u> Notwithstanding that jurisdiction may lie
- 7 <u>elsewhere for the investigation and prosecution of a crime of unauthorized use of personal</u>
- 8 <u>identifying information or a similar identity theft offense, a victim of such an offense may contact</u>
- 9 <u>a local law enforcement agency in the county in which the victim resides or any other county in</u>
- 10 which any part of the offense occurred to have an incident report regarding the offense
- 11 prepared and filed. The law enforcement agency that prepares and files the incident report,
- 12 upon request, shall provide the victim with a copy of the incident report. The law enforcement
- 13 agency may share the incident report with law enforcement agencies in other jurisdictions. For
- 14 purposes of this section, "incident report" means a loss or other similar report prepared and
- 15 filed by a local law enforcement agency.