

Introduced by

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1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 54-35-02.7 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to the creation of a legislative overview committee for water-related topics.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 54-35-02.7 of the North Dakota Century Code is
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **54-35-02.7. ~~Garrison diversion~~ Water-related topics overview committee - Duties.**

7 The legislative council ~~is responsible for legislative overview of the Garrison diversion project~~
8 ~~and related matters and for any necessary discussions with adjacent states on water-related~~
9 ~~topics, during each interim, shall appoint a water-related topics overview committee in the same~~
10 ~~manner as the council appoints other interim committees. The committee must meet quarterly~~
11 ~~and is responsible for legislative overview of water-related topics and for any necessary~~
12 ~~discussions with adjacent states on water-related topics. The committee consists of nine~~
13 ~~members and the legislative council shall designate the chairman of the committee. The~~
14 ~~committee shall operate according to the statutes and procedure governing the operation of~~
15 ~~other legislative council interim committees.~~