Sixty-first Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

## SENATE BILL NO. 2334

Introduced by

Senators Kilzer, Christmann, Mathern

Representatives Kaldor, Keiser, Weisz

- 1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 50-24.1 of the North Dakota
- 2 Century Code, relating to the reimbursement of families for reasonable expenses in providing
- 3 medically necessary out-of-state transportation to a recipient of medical assistance.

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

- 5 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 50-24.1 of the North Dakota Century Code is 6 created and enacted as follows:
- 7 Reimbursement of out-of-state travel expenses. Within the limits of legislative
- 8 appropriations and upon request, the department of human services shall reimburse a family
- 9 member for reasonable expenses in providing medically necessary out-of-state transportation
- 10 to a medical assistance beneficiary. The department may limit reimbursement to the mileage,
- 11 lodging, and meal rates applicable for state employees for the destination city and state. When
- 12 possible, the department shall seek federal financial participation in the expenses of this
- 13 section.