Sixty-first Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

SENATE BILL NO. 2323

Introduced by

Senator Mathern

- 1 A BILL for an Act to provide for medical facilities to give notice to the public of hospitalist
- 2 programs.

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

- 4 SECTION 1. <u>Hospitalist programs Notice.</u> <u>A medical facility in the state shall</u>
- 5 disclose the following information to the public in the following manner:
- If the medical facility has a mandatory hospitalist program, the facility shall publish
 semiannually a legal notice generally explaining the hospitalist program, including
 that the patient's other treating physicians have no treatment authority.
- 9 <u>2.</u> If the medical facility places a newspaper advertisement larger than one hundred
- 10 <u>forty-four square inches [929.0304 square centimeters] or displays a public banner</u>
- 11 larger than ten square feet [.9290304 square meters], the facility must include, as a
- 12 minimum, an abbreviated notice as required in subsection 1.