Sixty-first Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

SENATE BILL NO. 2279 with House Amendments SENATE BILL NO. 2279

Introduced by

Senators Nething, O'Connell, Klein

Representatives Clark, Keiser, Wald

- 1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 5 of section 39-08-13 of the North Dakota
- 2 Century Code, relating to the parties from whom a motor vehicle accident investigating officer's
- 3 opinion may be obtained.

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

- 5 SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Subsection 5 of section 39-08-13 of the North Dakota
 6 Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:
- 7 5. Upon affirmation by a party to the accident, a party's legal representative, or the
- 8 insurer of any party to the accident that the investigating officer's opinion is
- 9 material to a determination of liability and upon payment of a fee of five dollars, the
- 10 director may <u>or investigating agency shall</u> release a <u>completed</u> copy of the
- 11 investigating officer's opinion to the entity requesting the information. The request
- 12 must be made on an appropriate form approved by the director.