Sixty-first Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

SENATE BILL NO. 2342

Introduced by

Senators Taylor, Christmann, Klein

Representatives Brandenburg, Froelich, Onstad

1 A BILL for an Act providing an appropriation for defraying the expenses associated with the

2 control of Johne's disease (Mycobacterium avium ss.paratuberculosis) in North Dakota.

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

4 **SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.** The funds provided in this section, or so much of the 5 funds as may be necessary, are appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state 6 treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to the state board of animal health to disburse to livestock 7 producers participating in the North Dakota voluntary Johne's disease herd status program to 8 defray expenses incurred in the testing and control of Johne's disease in livestock and to 9 provide for the education of producers and veterinarians concerning the testing and control of 10 Johne's disease for the biennium beginning July 1, 2009, and ending June 30, 2011, as follows: 11 Testing assistance \$150,000 12 **Technical assistance** 55,500 13 Education 40,000 14 Office support 30,000 15 Total general fund appropriation \$275,500