PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 0000

SECTION 35. AMENDMENT. Subsection 2 of section 54-60-16 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

2. The commissioner may designate a nonprofit corporation incorporated in this state whose primary purpose is to assist North Dakota exporters or contract with a third party for the provision of services for the international business and trade office. If the commissioner designates a nonprofit corporation or contracts with a third party under this subsection, all data and data bases collected and created by the third party in performing services for the office are the property of the department and the third party.

SECTION 36. AMENDMENT. Section 54-60-17 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

54-60-17. Division of workforce development - Higher education internships Internships, apprenticeships, and work experience opportunities. The division of workforce development shall administer a program to increase use of higher education internships, apprenticeships, and work experience opportunities for higher education students and high school students enrolled on grade eleven or twelve. The primary focus of this program must be higher education internships in target industries. This program shall provide services to employers, communities, and business organizations to increase higher education internship, apprenticeship, and work experience opportunities. Funding awarded under this section may not be used to subsidize internship, apprenticeship, or work experience opportunities that funding recipient had available during the previous two calendar years."

Page 8, remove liens 1 through 31

page 9, remove lines 1 through 25

Page 10, line 7, replace "July" with "November"

Page 10, line 9, replace "submit or acceptance" with "present"

Page 10, line 10, replace "biennial budget request" with "workforce-related budget initiatives for the upcoming biennium, including alignment of these initiatives with the consolidated biennial statewide strategic plan,"

Page 10, after line 11, insert:

"**SECTION 38. EXPIRATION DATE.** Section 38 of this Act is effective through June 30, 2011, and after that date is ineffective."

Page 10, line 12, replace "\$1,200,000" with "\$900,000"

Page 10, line 13, replace "is" with "and section 2 of this Act are"

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT - LC 98037.0441 FN 1

A copy of the statement of purpose of amendment is attached.