Sixty-first Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

SENATE BILL NO. 2285

Introduced by

Senator Mathern

Representative Boucher

- 1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-60 of the North Dakota
- 2 Century Code, relating to creation of department of commerce satellite offices on Indian
- 3 reservations.

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

- 5 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 54-60 of the North Dakota Century Code is 6 created and enacted as follows:
- 7 **Satellite offices Indian reservations.** The department shall seek to enter a
- 8 memorandum of understanding with the tribal government of each Indian reservation in this
- 9 state to establish a satellite office on each reservation in this state. Each satellite office must
- 10 <u>include staff representing the division of community services, division of economic development</u>
- 11 and finance, division of tourism, and division of workforce development. In reaching
- 12 memorandums of understanding, the department shall seek to include participation of tribal
- 13 colleges.