

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1204**

Introduced by

Representatives Delmore, Hawken, Maragos, Sanford

Senators Lyson, Nelson

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 6 of section 12.1-17-07.1 of the North  
2 Dakota Century Code, relating to stalking and previous convictions.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Subsection 6 of section 12.1-17-07.1 of the North Dakota  
5 Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

6 6. a. A person who violates this section is guilty of a class C felony if:

7 (1) The person previously has been convicted of violating section 12.1-17-01,  
8 12.1-17-01.1, 12.1-17-02, 12.1-17-04, 12.1-17-05, ~~or 12.1-17-07,~~ or a  
9 similar offense from another court of record in the United States; or a tribal  
10 court, ~~a court of another country,~~ or a similar offense in another state,  
11 involving the victim of the stalking;

12 (2) The stalking violates a court order issued under chapter 14-07.1 protecting  
13 the victim of the stalking, if the person had notice of the court order; or

14 (3) The person previously has been convicted of violating this section.

15 b. If subdivision a does not apply, a person who violates this section is guilty of a  
16 class A misdemeanor.