

**FIRST ENGROSSMENT  
with Senate Amendments  
ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1447**

Introduced by

Representatives Koppelman, Boehning, Carlson, Owens, Thoreson

1 A BILL to provide for a legislative management study of voting residency laws and consolidation  
2 of elections.

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

4 **SECTION 1. LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT STUDY - VOTING RESIDENCY -**  
5 **CONSOLIDATION OF POLITICAL SUBDIVISION ELECTIONS.** During the 2011-12 interim,  
6 the legislative management shall consider studying residency as it relates to voting purposes  
7 and the further consolidation of political subdivision elections with regular statewide elections.  
8 The legislative management shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any  
9 legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-third legislative assembly.