

**FIRST ENGROSSMENT
with House Amendments
ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2147**

Introduced by

Senators Erbele, Olafson

Representatives Hofstad, J. Nelson

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 63-05-01 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to cutting weeds and grass along county and township roads.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 63-05-01 of the North Dakota Century Code is
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **63-05-01. Landowners or operators along county and township highways to cut**
7 **weeds and grasses.**

8 It is the duty of landowners or operators with land adjoining regularly traveled county and
9 township highways, as designated by the township board of supervisors in organized
10 townships, the board of county commissioners in unorganized townships, and the board of
11 county commissioners in the case of county highways, to cut all weeds and grasses along the
12 regularly traveled highways adjoining their lands, including weeds and grasses growing within
13 the public right of way bordering the highways and their lands. The cutting shall be completed
14 not later than September fifteenth or October first, as prescribed by the board of county
15 commissioners. The board of county commissioners may also, if necessary, require an
16 additional cutting be completed by August first.