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Introduced by

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 10-04 of the North Dakota

- 2 Century Code, relating to filing with the securities commissioner informational reports of building
- 3 authorities and other entities that issue bonds to finance buildings in connection with an
- 4 agreement with a political subdivision; and to provide for application.

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

6 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 10-04 of the North Dakota Century Code is created

7 and enacted as follows:

8 Building authority or other bond-issuing entity reports to the securities

9 commissioner - Compilation of reported information.

- 10 <u>1.</u> <u>Upon the issuance of bonds for acquisition, construction, renovation, or improvement</u>
- 11 of a building in connection with an agreement for use of that building by a political
- 12 <u>subdivision of this state, a building authority or other entity issuing those bonds shall</u>
- 13 file a report regarding that bond issue and agreement with the securities
- 14 <u>commissioner. The report for each such bond issue must be in a format prescribed by</u>
- 15 <u>the securities commissioner and include the:</u>
- 16 <u>a.</u> Name of the issuing entity and political subdivision that has entered an
 17 <u>agreement with the issuing entity regarding the building for which the bonds were</u>
 18 <u>issued;</u>
- 19b.Location and proposed use of the building and nature of the issuing entity and20the agreement;
- 21c.Amount and nature of the bonds issued, including the rate of interest, date of22issuance, and scheduled date of retirement of the bonds;

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1		<u>d.</u>	General terms and nature of the financing arrangement, including information	
2			regarding annual payments by the political subdivision and any right the political	
3			subdivision will have to acquire ownership of the building; and	
4		<u>e.</u>	Additional information as may be prescribed by the securities commissioner.	
5	<u>2.</u>	<u>The</u>	issuing entity shall notify the securities commissioner of any changes in the terms	
6		or nature of a bond issue reported under this section, including changes to the		
7		<u>sch</u>	eduled retirement date.	
8	<u>3.</u>	<u>The</u>	securities commissioner shall compile and maintain a summary of information on	
9		<u>outs</u>	standing bond issues subject to reporting under this section.	
10	SECTION 2. APPLICATION. The reporting requirement of section 1 of this Act applies to			
11	any bond issue that occurred before August 1, 2013, if any bonds from that issue have not been			
12	retired as of August 1, 2013, and if the original issue of those bonds would have been subject to			
13	the reporting requirement of section 1 of this Act if the original issue had occurred after July 31,			
14	2013.			