Sixty-second Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

SENATE BILL NO. 2104

Introduced by

Industry, Business and Labor Committee
(At the request of the State Treasurer)

- 1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 6-01-17 of the North Dakota Century Code,
- 2 relating to a yearly assessment of banks and interstate branches; to provide an effective date;
- 3 and to declare an emergency.

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

- SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Section 6-01-17 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended
 and reenacted as follows:
- 7 6-01-17. Yearly assessment of banks and interstate branches.
- 8 Every state banking association and banking institution under the jurisdiction and control of
- 9 the commissioner and the commissioner's deputy examiners by this title, including the Bank of
- 10 North Dakota and every branch of an out-of-state state bank, shall pay a yearly assessment.
- 11 This assessment is to be determined by the state banking board as necessary to fund that
- 12 portion of the department's budget relating to the regulation of state-chartered banks and
- 13 branches of out-of-state state banks, including the authority to enter into cooperative fee
- 14 sharing agreements and assessment of associated travel costs with other state bank
- 15 supervisors. Assessment fees may not be computed on the combined assets of the bank and its
- 16 trust department for those banks and branches exercising trust powers. Fees for the
- 17 examination of the trust department must be computed in accordance with section 6-05-28. The
- 18 assessment must be paid to the state treasurer department of financial institutions within thirty
- 19 days of each June thirtieth. Institutions and branches that have not been examined by the
- 20 commissioner or the state banking board for three years prior to any assessment date shall not
- 21 be required to pay the assessment. The state treasurer shall report such payments of fees to
- 22 the commissioner, and if If any such corporation or institution or branch is delinquent more than
- 23 twenty days in making such payment, the board may make an order suspending the functions
- of such delinquent corporation, institution, or branch until payment of the amount due. The

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- 1 commissioner may assess a penalty of five dollars for each day that the assessment fee is
- 2 delinquent. All fees and penalties under this section must be paid todeposited with the state
- 3 treasurer and deposited in the financial institutions regulatory fund.
- 4 **SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.** This Act becomes effective June 1, 2011.
- 5 **SECTION 3. EMERGENCY.** This Act is declared to be an emergency measure.