## Sixty-third Legislative Assembly of North Dakota In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 8, 2013

SENATE BILL NO. 2152 (Senators Sitte, Campbell, Laffen) (Representatives Karls, K. Koppelman, Mooney)

AN ACT to create and enact a new subsection to section 10-31-13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to regulation of professional organizations; and to amend and reenact section 10-31-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to ownership of professional organizations.

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

**SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 10-31-06 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

## 10-31-06. Executives and owners.

- 1. No An individual may be not simultaneously be an executive or owner of more than one professional organization rendering the same professional service.
- A professional organization in the form of a corporation which has only one shareholder need
  have only one director, who must be the shareholder. That individual also shall serve as the
  president and treasurer of the corporation. The other officers of the corporation need not be
  licensed or otherwise legally authorized in the same field of endeavor as the president.
- 3. A retired individual may not continue as an executive or owner of a professional organization.

**SECTION 2.** A new subsection to section 10-31-13 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

In order to regulate organizations that have ownership that renders more than one professional service, the secretary of state shall collect one thousand dollars for articles of incorporation for a corporation, articles of organization for a limited liability company, or articles of amendment related to an organization that has ownership that renders more than one professional service. This fee is in addition to the fees provided for these fillings under section 10-19.1-147 or 10-32-150. Fees collected by the secretary of state under this subsection must be deposited in the secretary of state's general services operating fund.

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