

Sixty-third
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2210

Introduced by

Senators Flakoll, Bowman, Carlisle, Marcellais

Representatives D. Johnson, Thoreson

1 A BILL ~~for an Act to provide for the publishing of a book of veterans; and to provide a continuing~~
2 ~~appropriation for an Act to provide for a legislative management study of creation of a record of~~
3 ~~North Dakota veterans.~~

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

5 ~~SECTION 1.~~

6 ~~Book of veterans -- Continuing appropriation.~~

7 ~~The adjutant general shall coordinate the writing, publishing, and distribution of a book of all~~
8 ~~veterans having a relationship with this state. The adjutant general shall establish the veteran~~
9 ~~qualifications for inclusion and standards for content. County veteran service officers, veterans'~~
10 ~~groups, schools, and individuals may cooperate in gathering pictures and biographical~~
11 ~~information. The book must be available in digital and printed form. The cost of writing,~~
12 ~~publishing, and distributing the book must be covered by gifts and grants and these funds are~~
13 ~~appropriated on a continuing basis to the adjutant general for the purposes of this section. The~~
14 ~~book credits shall include the words "This project was endorsed by the 63rd legislative~~
15 ~~assembly".~~

16 **SECTION 1. LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT STUDY - RECORD OF NORTH DAKOTA**

17 **VETERANS.** During the 2013-14 interim, the legislative management shall consider studying
18 the feasibility and desirability of creating a record of all North Dakota veterans since the
19 Vietnam War and a record of all North Dakotans killed in action since statehood. The study may
20 include consideration of what types of personal and military information may be appropriate to
21 include in the record, the projected cost of creating this record, which entity would be
22 responsible for creating and maintaining the record, and the appropriate format for the compiled
23 information. The legislative management shall report its findings and recommendations,

- 1 together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-fourth
- 2 legislative assembly.