Sixty-fourth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 1213**

Introduced by

Representatives Owens, Devlin, Dockter, Kretschmar, Ruby, Streyle, Trottier, Weisz Senators Campbell, Laffen, Sorvaag

- 1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 44-01-01 of the North Dakota Century Code,
- 2 relating to eligibility requirements for appointive offices.

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

- 4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 44-01-01 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:
- 6 44-01-01. Eligibility to office.

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- Every elector is eligible to the office for which that personindividual is an elector, except when otherwise specially provided. No personindividual is eligible who is not such an elector.
- 2. A personAn individual is not eligible forto serve in any position for which a state officer or governing body of a political subdivision may make an appointment if the person:
  - <u>a.</u> <u>Hasindividual has been convicted of a felony</u>;
- <u>b.</u> <u>Has pending misdemeanor or felony charges; or</u>
- <u>c.</u> <u>Is delinquent on any local, state, or federal taxes or special assessmentswithin</u>
  the past fifteen years.

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