Sixty-fourth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

HOUSE BILL NO. 1304

Introduced by

Representatives K. Koppelman, Brabandt, Klemin, Olson, Paur

Senator Armstrong

- 1 A BILL for an Act create and enact a new section to chapter 12.1-01, a new section to chapter
- 2 14-10, and a new section to chapter 27-20 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the
- 3 presumption of an individual's legal date of birth.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 12.1-01 of the North Dakota Century Code is created

6 and enacted as follows:

7 Presumption of age.

- 8 In determining an individual's age for purposes of this title, the individual's date of birth as
- 9 provided by the United States government or a state government in the form of a birth
- 10 <u>certificate, entry document, or state-issued identification is presumed to be the individual's legal</u>
- 11 date of birth. This presumption may be rebutted by clear and convincing evidence to the
- 12 contrary.
- 13 **SECTION 2.** A new section to chapter 14-10 of the North Dakota Century Code is created
- 14 and enacted as follows:

15 **Presumption of age.**

- 16 In determining an individual's age for purposes of this chapter, the individual's date of birth
- 17 as provided by the United States government or a state government in the form of a birth
- 18 <u>certificate, entry document, or state-issued identification is presumed to be the individual's legal</u>
- 19 date of birth. This presumption may be rebutted by clear and convincing evidence to the
- 20 <u>contrary.</u>
- 21 SECTION 3. A new section to chapter 27-20 of the North Dakota Century Code is created
- 22 and enacted as follows:
- 23 Presumption of age.

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