Sixty-fifth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

## **HOUSE BILL NO. 1378**

Introduced by

Representatives Johnston, Headland, Kiefert, Simons

**Senator Clemens** 

- 1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 49-22 of the North Dakota
- 2 Century Code, relating to aircraft-lighting detection lighting systems on wind generators.

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

- 4 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 49-22 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:
- 6 Aircraft lighting detection lighting system Rules.
- By December 31, 2018 2019, every wind generator, designed for or capable of wind energy
- 8 conversion exceeding one-half megawatt of electricity, must be equipped with a functioning
- 9 aircraft lighting detection lighting system in accordance with rules adopted by the commission.
- 10 The commission shall establish rules relating to the implementation of aircraft lighting detection
- 11 lighting systems on wind generators which must include service and maintenance requirements,
- 12 <u>safety standards, and lighting system requirements. Any cost associated with implementation,</u>
- operation, and maintenance of these systems is the sole responsibility of a turbine owner.