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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 2253

Page 1, line 3, replace "section" with "sections"

Page 1, line 3, after "23-35-02.2" insert ", 43-18.2-01, and 43-18.2-03"

Page 1, line 5, remove "and"

Page 1, line 5, after "systems" insert ", and sewer and water installers"

Page 2, line 9, replace "regulated" with "enforced"

Page 2, line 12, remove ", not to exceed one hundred"

Page 2, line 13, remove "dollars,"

Page 2, line 16, remove "Each day a violation continues is"

Page 2, replace line 17 with:

"SECTION 2. AMENDMENT. Section 43-18.2-01 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

43-18.2-01. Definitions.

In this chapter, unless the context or subject matter otherwise requires:

- 1. "Board" means the state board of plumbing.
- 2. "Sewer and water contractor" means any person who installs, plans, and manages the installation and repair of building sewer and water service.
- 3. "Sewer and water installation" means the installation of building sewer and water service and the repair of existing building sewer and water service.
- 4. "Sewer and water installer" means any person, other than a sewer and water contractor, who installs and repairs building sewer and water service.
- 5. "Sewer and water service" does not include installing an onsite wastewater treatment system.

SECTION 3. AMENDMENT. Section 43-18.2-03 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

43-18.2-03. Licenses.

NoA person, firm, corporation, or limited liability company, except plumbersa plumber holding a valid licenses license under chapter 43-18, may not engage in the business of sewer and water contractor or sewer and water installer unless registered and licensed by the board to do sounder this chapter. ThisA license issued under this chapter allows the licensee to do plumbing necessary for sewer and water installation. This chapter does not regulate the installation of an onsite wastewater treatment system."

Page 3, line 2, replace "five licensees." with ":

- <u>a.</u> Four licensees, who are actively practicing installers, appointed by the governor;
- b. Three representatives from local public health units who are licensed environmental health practitioners in this state appointed by the governor from a list of names forwarded by local public health units; and
- c. One representative from the department of environmental quality as appointed by the director of the department of environmental quality.

<u>3.</u>"

Page 3, line 2, after "initial" insert "appointed"

Page 3, line 7, replace the first "a" with "an appointed"

Page 5, line 18, replace "Section" with "Sections"

Page 5, line 18, after the first "1" insert ", 2, and 3"

Page 5, line 18, replace "becomes" with "become"

Page 5, line 19, replace "3" with "5"

Renumber accordingly