TESTIMONY OF SCOTT MILLER Senate Bill 2160 – Telehealth Parity

Good Morning, my name is Scott Miller. I am the Executive Director of the North Dakota Public Employees Retirement System, or NDPERS. I am submitting this written testimony in a neutral position regarding Senate Bill 2140.

SB 2160 modifies coverage of telehealth services. The bill updates definitions and provisions related to telehealth services, and in so doing, aligns the North Dakota Century Code to accommodate current technology, health plan and provider operations, and developing market practices.

Our actuary, Deloitte, sees no material financial impact on the State's uniform group health insurance program as a result of this bill.