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FISCAL NOTE

Prepared in regard to:

House Bill 1580

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Amendment to: _____

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In the following space note the fiscal effect in dollars of the legislative proposal. If additional space is needed, attach a supplementary sheet. (Please type)

It is not possible for the North Dakota State Wheat Commission to make or supply an estimate of "Expenditure" involved in this legislation since the bill lacks specificity on how direct marketing would be achieved.

"Revenue" can only be estimated by attempting to predict wheat acreage and then applying long-term average yields to those acreages. As an example:

Estimated Production

	<u>Million Acres</u>	<u>Bushels Per Acre</u>	<u>Million Bushels</u>
1977	9.5	25	2237.5
1978	9.5	25	<u>237.5</u>
			475.0

Projected Revenue

475 Million Bushels at One Half Mill
(Less Refunds) \$237,500
(?)

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