## SECOND ENGROSSMENT

Fifty-fifth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

## REENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2027

Introduced by

Legislative Council

(Budget Committee on Home and Community Care)

(Senator DeMers) (Representatives Boucher, Coats, Grumbo)

- 1 A BILL for an Act to provide for registration of certain home service providers; and to provide a
- 2 penalty.

3

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

- 4 **SECTION 1.** Home service providers to register. Any person who, in exchange for a fee, provides home health aide services, respite care services, or personal attendant care
- 6 services shall register on the qualified service provider registry with the department of human
- 7 services. Before a person may be included on the qualified service provider registry, the
- 8 person must meet the enrollment competencies set forth by the department of human services.
- 9 Home service providers on the human service registry are subject to the investigation and
- 10 disciplinary process of the qualified service provider registry operated by the department of
- 11 human services. A person who violates the registry requirements of this section is guilty of a
- 12 class B misdemeanor. This section does not apply to a person providing the service on a
- 13 volunteer basis without compensation or providing the service for a family member, to a person
- 14 otherwise licensed to provide the service if the service provided is included within the scope of
- 15 the practice for which the person is licensed, or to a person registered on the board of nursing
- 16 or department of health nurse assistant registries.