

Fifty-fifth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

HOUSE BILL NO. 1363

Introduced by

Representatives Christenson, S. Kelsh, Rose

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 5-01-08 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to persons under twenty-one years of age and alcoholic beverages.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 5-01-08 of the 1995 Supplement to the North
5 Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **5-01-08. Persons under twenty-one years of age prohibited from manufacturing,**
7 **purchasing, consuming, or possessing alcoholic beverages or entering licensed**
8 **premises - Penalty - Exceptions - Referrals to addiction facilities.** Except as permitted in
9 this section and section 5-02-06, any person under twenty-one years of age manufacturing or
10 attempting to manufacture alcoholic beverages, purchasing or attempting to purchase alcoholic
11 beverages, consuming alcoholic beverages other than during a religious service, being under
12 the influence of alcoholic beverages, or being in actual or constructive possession of alcoholic
13 beverages, or furnishing money to any person for such purchase, or entering any licensed
14 premises where alcoholic beverages are being sold or displayed, except a restaurant when
15 accompanied by a parent or legal guardian, or in accordance with section 5-02-06, or if the
16 person is a law enforcement officer entering the premises in the performance of official duty, is
17 guilty of a class B misdemeanor. The court may, under this section, refer the person to an
18 outpatient addiction facility licensed by the state department of human services for evaluation
19 and appropriate counseling or treatment.