FIRST ENGROSSMENT

Fifty-fifth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1383

Introduced by

Representatives Skarphol, Poolman, Carlson Senators Andrist, Kinnoin

- 1 A BILL for an Act to provide for a study by the workers compensation bureau of the feasibility of
- 2 basing premium calculations on an employee's gross wages.

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

- 4 SECTION 1. BUREAU TO STUDY BASIS FOR PREMIUM CALCULATION. The
- 5 bureau shall study the feasibility and desirability of establishing a premium calculation system
- 6 based on an employee's gross wages instead of on gross wages up to a maximum of seventy
- 7 percent of the state's average annual wage. The bureau shall determine whether any
- 8 maximum wage would be feasible. The bureau shall report the progress of its study to a
- 9 designated legislative council interim committee and, if it determines appropriate, shall propose
- 10 legislation to accomplish any changes it determines necessary to the premium calculation
- 11 system based on the results of the study.