

Fifty-fifth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

REENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1330

Introduced by

Representatives Carlson, Grande

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 54-06-08.2 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to payments by credit card to state agencies, boards, commissions, the judicial branch,
3 and political subdivisions.

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

5 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 54-06-08.2 of the 1995 Supplement to the North
6 Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

7 **54-06-08.2. Payment by credit card - State credit card processor.** A state agency,
8 board, or commission, the judicial branch, or any political subdivision may accept payment by
9 credit card of any fee, interest, penalty, tax, or other payment that is due or collectible by the
10 agency, board, or commission. ~~To assess and account for the credit card interchange to the~~
11 ~~respective state agency, board, or commission, the~~ The Bank of North Dakota is the
12 ~~processing depository~~ state credit card processor for credit card transactions of state agencies,
13 boards, or commissions. The Bank of North Dakota shall select a credit card processor or
14 processors to provide credit card services to state agencies, boards, and commissions. All
15 funds from credit card transactions must be deposited in the respective entity's account in the
16 Bank of North Dakota. If on January 1, 1997, any state agency, board, or commission uses a
17 credit card processor other than a credit card processor selected by the Bank of North Dakota,
18 it may continue using that processor until June 30, 1999, or until transition to the state
19 processor is available with minimal fee or penalty, whichever is earlier. The judicial branch may
20 accept payment by credit card for any fees, costs, or other assessments required or imposed
21 under state law or court rule.