FIRST ENGROSSMENT

Fifty-seventh Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1350

Introduced by

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Representative Mahoney

Senator C. Nelson

- 1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 12-47 of the North Dakota
- 2 Century Code, relating to the transporting of certain prisoners.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

- **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 12-47 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:
- 6 **Transporting of prisoners.** A prisoner who has pled guilty to or has been convicted of
- 7 a class A or class AA felony may not be transported from one correctional facility to another,
- 8 whether inside, outside, or through the state, except by employees of the department of
- 9 corrections and rehabilitation or by law enforcement officers employed by a governmental
- 10 agency. For purposes of this section, "law enforcement officer" means an individual with the
- 11 authority of a peace officer who is an employee of the United States marshal service, the
- 12 bureau of criminal investigation, a county sheriff's department, a city police department, or the
- 13 equivalent employees of law enforcement from another state.