

HOUSE BILL NO. 1342

Introduced by

Representatives Schmidt, Amerman, Delmore, Potter

Senator Tallackson

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 57-38-34.3 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to replacing optional contributions to the nongame wildlife fund on income tax forms
3 with optional contributions to the silver-haired education association; to provide a continuing
4 appropriation; and to provide an effective date.

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

6 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 57-38-34.3 of the North Dakota Century Code is
7 amended and reenacted as follows:

8 **57-38-34.3. Optional contributions to ~~nongame wildlife fund~~ silver-haired**
9 **education association fund - Continuing appropriation.** An individual taxpayer may
10 designate on the tax return of that individual a contribution to the ~~nongame wildlife fund~~
11 silver-haired education association fund of any amount of one dollar or more to be added to tax
12 liability or deducted from any refund that would otherwise be payable by or to the individual. On
13 the individual state income tax return the tax commissioner shall notify the individual of this
14 optional contribution. The amount of these optional contributions must be transferred by the tax
15 commissioner to the state treasurer for deposit in ~~the nongame wildlife fund for use as provided~~
16 ~~in section 20.1-02-16.2~~ a special fund in the state treasury known as the silver-haired education
17 association fund. Moneys in the silver-haired education association fund are appropriated as a
18 standing and continuing appropriation to the department of human services for disbursement to
19 the silver-haired education association as needed for a biennial silver-haired legislative
20 assembly and for costs of education concerning senior citizen issues and the legislative
21 process.

22 **SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.** This Act is effective for taxable years beginning after
23 December 31, 2002.