

SENATE BILL NO. 2142

Introduced by

Human Services Committee

(At the request of the State Board of Occupational Therapy Practice)

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 43-40-15 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to the licensure of occupational therapists and occupational therapy assistants; and to
3 repeal section 43-40-17 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to consultations and
4 evaluations performed by occupational therapists.

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

6 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Subsection 1 of section 43-40-15 of the North Dakota
7 Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

- 8 1. Any license issued under this chapter is subject to ~~annual~~ biennial renewal and
9 expires unless renewed in the manner prescribed by the rules of the board. The
10 board may provide for the late renewal of a license upon the payment of a late fee
11 in accordance with its rules, but ~~no~~ late renewal of a license may not be granted
12 more than three years after its expiration.

13 **SECTION 2. REPEAL.** Section 43-40-17 of the North Dakota Century Code is
14 repealed.