

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1371**

Introduced by

Representative Ruby

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 26.1-26.6-08 of the North Dakota Century  
2 Code, relating to the maximum commission or fee of a bail bondsman.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 26.1-26.6-08 of the North Dakota Century Code  
5 is amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **26.1-26.6-08. Maximum commission or fee.** A professional bondsman may not  
7 charge a premium, commission, or fee in an amount more than ~~ten~~ twelve percent of the  
8 amount of bail furnished by the bondsman, or ~~fifty~~ seventy-five dollars, whichever is greater. A  
9 professional bondsman may also charge an administrative fee for processing bonds including  
10 items such as actual expenses of telephone calls, facsimile charges, credit and background  
11 checks, and mileage.