Fifty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 4, 2005

HOUSE BILL NO. 1364 (Representatives Grande, Iverson, Sitte) (Senators Freborg, Hacker)

AN ACT relating to English pronunciation by faculty and teaching assistants.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. FACULTY - ENGLISH PRONUNCIATION - POLICY - REPORT. The state board of higher education shall create a policy for all institutions under its control, relating to the assessment of faculty and teaching assistant communication skills, including the ability to speak English clearly and with good pronunciation, the notification to students of opportunities to file complaints, the process for responding to student complaints, and the resolution of reported communication problems. Before July 1, 2006, the state board of higher education shall report to the legislative council regarding implementation of the policy.

Speaker of the House President of the Senate Secretary of the Senate Chief Clerk of the House This certifies that the within bill originated in the House of Representatives of the Fifty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as House Bill No. 1364. House Vote: Yeas 78 Nays 12 Absent 4 Nays 19 Senate Vote: Yeas 26 Absent 2 Chief Clerk of the House Received by the Governor at ______ M. on ______, 2005. Approved at ______, 2005. Governor Filed in this office this ______ day of ______, 2005, at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State