

Sixtieth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1486

Introduced by

Representatives Skarphol, Klein, Wald, Grande

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 5 of section 54-52.1-03 of the North Dakota
2 Century Code, relating to participation by members of the legislative assembly in the uniform
3 group insurance program.

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

5 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Subsection 5 of section 54-52.1-03 of the North Dakota
6 Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

7 5. A member or former member of the legislative assembly or that person's surviving
8 spouse may elect to continue membership in the uniform group within the
9 applicable time limitations after either termination of eligible employment as a
10 member of the legislative assembly or termination of other eligible employment or,
11 for a surviving spouse, upon the death of the member or former member of the
12 legislative assembly. The member or former member of the legislative assembly
13 or that person's surviving spouse shall pay the equivalent rate of a state employee
14 with single or family coverage, however, this rate may be available only to
15 non-medicare contracts. Former members of the legislative assembly who have
16 completed at least one legislative session in the assembly and whose service in
17 the legislative assembly terminated five years or more before the effective date of
18 this Act or that person's surviving spouse shall pay the premiums in effect for the
19 coverage provided directly to the board.