

Sixtieth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2348

Introduced by

Senators Tollefson, Freborg, Heitkamp, Krebsbach

Representatives Bellew, Wrangham

1 A BILL for an Act relating to high school tournament site selections.

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

3 **SECTION 1. North Dakota high school activities association - Tournament site**
4 **selection - Hearing - Notice.**

5 1. a. The North Dakota high school activities association shall publish annually a
6 notice of the tournament sites which it intends to select during the ensuing
7 twelve months.

8 b. The notice must include a description of the selection process and the dates,
9 times, and locations at which the association will meet to consider and select
10 the tournament sites. The notice must also describe how representatives of
11 potential tournament sites and members of the public can obtain information
12 regarding potential tournament sites and how they may provide information
13 regarding potential tournament sites for the consideration of the association.

14 c. The association shall publish any notice required by this subsection at least
15 once each week for two consecutive weeks in each daily newspaper of
16 general circulation in the state or provide written notice to each school district
17 in the state.

18 2. Once the North Dakota high school activities association has selected a
19 tournament site, the association may not reschedule or cancel the tournament
20 without giving at least twenty-four months' notice to the owner or operator of the
21 tournament site. The provisions of this subsection do not apply if:

22 a. The owner or operator of the tournament site assents to the schedule change
23 or cancellation; or

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- 1 b. The tournament must be rescheduled or canceled due to an act of God or
2 other emergency beyond the control of the association.