Sixtieth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota In Regular Session Commencing Wednesday, January 3, 2007

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3062 (Representatives Onstad, Bellew, Gruchalla, Ruby)

A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study solutions to the problem of underage drinking.

WHEREAS, the number of minors who reported using alcohol in the past month in North Dakota was 42.7 percent according to the National Survey on Drug Use and Health Report for 2003-04; and

WHEREAS, according to the same report, the number of minors in Tennessee who reported using alcohol in the last month was 22.3 percent; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee has the lowest underage use of alcohol and North Dakota has the highest underage use of alcohol; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee has serious consequences for minor in possession, including the loss of the minor's license to operate a motor vehicle for at least 90 days, even if the minor was not operating a vehicle at the time of the offense;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF NORTH DAKOTA, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

That the Legislative Council study solutions to the problem of underage drinking; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Legislative Council report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the Sixty-first Legislative Assembly.

Speaker of the House

President of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

Secretary of the Senate

Filed in this office this ______ day of ______, 2007,

at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State