

Introduced by

Education Committee

(At the request of the State Board of Higher Education)

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15-62.2-02 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to the maximum amount of individual grants established by the state board of higher
3 education for the student financial assistance program.

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

5 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 15-62.2-02 of the North Dakota Century Code is
6 amended and reenacted as follows:

7 **15-62.2-02. State board of higher education - Powers and duties.** The state board
8 of higher education shall:

- 9 1. Administer the North Dakota student financial assistance program and the North
10 Dakota scholars program and adopt functional rules regarding the eligibility and
11 selection of grant and scholarship recipients.
- 12 2. Determine the amount of individual grants, but not to exceed ~~one~~ two thousand
13 dollars per recipient per academic year under the North Dakota student financial
14 assistance program.
- 15 3. Adopt for the North Dakota student financial assistance program criteria for
16 substantial need based upon the ability of the parents or guardian to contribute
17 toward the applicant's educational expenses.
- 18 4. Establish the appropriate procedures for fiscal control, fund accounting, and
19 necessary reports.
- 20 5. Apply for, receive, expend, and administer granted moneys from federal or private
21 sources.