

**FIRST ENGROSSMENT
with House Amendments
ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2169**

Introduced by

Senators Murphy, Lyson, Nodland, Schneider

Representatives R. Kelsch, S. Meyer

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-03 of the North Dakota
2 Century Code, relating to audio recording of floor sessions of the legislative assembly.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 54-03 of the North Dakota Century Code is created
5 and enacted as follows:

6 **Audio recording of floor sessions.**

7 The senate may adopt rules regarding the recording of senate floor sessions and the
8 house of representatives may adopt rules regarding the recording of house floor sessions. The
9 legislative council may archive all audio recordings of floor sessions. Audio recordings of floor
10 sessions are public records that must be open and accessible for inspection during reasonable
11 office hours.