

**SENATE BILL NO. 2194**

Introduced by

Senators Triplett, Nelson, Erbele, Warner

Representatives Kingsbury, Schmidt

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-02 of the North Dakota  
2 Century Code, relating to designation of "Dancing Dakota", written and composed by Chuck  
3 Suchy, as the official North Dakota waltz; and to amend and reenact section 54-02-04 of the  
4 North Dakota Century Code, relating to the official state hymn.

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

6 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 54-02 of the North Dakota Century Code is created  
7 and enacted as follows:

8 **State waltz.**

9 The song "Dancing Dakota", with words written and music composed by Chuck Suchy, is  
10 the official waltz of the state of North Dakota.

11 **SECTION 2. AMENDMENT.** Section 54-02-04 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
12 amended and reenacted as follows:

13 **54-02-04. State songhymn.**

14 The song known as "North Dakota Hymn", with words written by James W. Foley and music  
15 composed by Doctor C. S. Putnam is the official ~~song~~hymn of the state of North Dakota.