

SENATE BILL NO. 2071

Introduced by

Government and Veterans Affairs Committee

(At the request of the Adjutant General)

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 37-17.1-05 of the North
2 Dakota Century Code, relating to calling up retired former members of the North Dakota
3 national guard to state active duty in times of disasters or emergencies; and to declare an
4 emergency.

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

6 **SECTION 1.** A new subsection to section 37-17.1-05 of the North Dakota Century Code is
7 created and enacted as follows:

8 Authorize the adjutant general to recall to state active duty, on a volunteer basis,
9 former members of the North Dakota national guard. Those recalled must possess the
10 qualifications required by the disaster or emergency. Recall under this subsection is
11 effective only for the duration of the disaster or emergency and recalled personnel will
12 be released from state active duty upon competent authority that the requirement of
13 their service under this subsection has passed. Compensation for personnel recalled
14 under this subsection will be based upon section 37-07-05.

15 **SECTION 2. EMERGENCY.** This Act is declared to be an emergency measure.