FIRST ENGROSSMENT

Sixty-third Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1356

Introduced by

Representatives Haak, Hawken, N. Johnson, Hogan

Senators Poolman, Triplett

- 1 A BILL for an Act directing the legislative management to study early childhood services and
- 2 early childhood education.

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

4 SECTION 1. LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT STUDY - EARLY CHILDHOOD SERVICES

5 AND EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION.

- <u>The legislative management shall consider studying, during the 2013-14 interim, the</u>
 <u>development, delivery, and administration of comprehensive early childhood services</u>
- 8 and early childhood education in this state. The study must include an examination of
- 9 the availability, quality, and cost of services offered by existing public and private
- 10 <u>sector providers, the projected need for services during the coming ten years to twenty</u>
- 11 years, and the ability of public and private sector providers to address the expansion
- 12 <u>of facilities or the creation of additional facilities.</u>
- <u>13</u> <u>2.</u> <u>The legislative management may appoint a committee, workgroups, task forces, and</u>
 <u>14</u> <u>subcommittees, as necessary, to provide or obtain information required in conjunction</u>
 <u>15</u> <u>with this study.</u>
- <u>3.</u> The legislative management shall report its findings and recommendations, together
 with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-fourth
 legislative assembly.