

**Sixty-fourth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota  
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 6, 2015**

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4005  
(Legislative Management)  
(Human Services Committee)

A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Management to study judicial issues related to behavioral health, including 24-hour hold, termination of parental rights, and court committals.

**WHEREAS**, the 2013-14 interim Legislative Management's Human Services Committee conducted a study of behavioral health needs of youth and adults in North Dakota; and

**WHEREAS**, the interim Human Services Committee hired a consultant to assist in the study of behavioral health needs of youth and adults in North Dakota; and

**WHEREAS**, the consultant's findings indicated concerns regarding judicial issues relating to behavioral health, including 24-hour hold, termination of parental rights, and court committals in the state; and

**WHEREAS**, the consultant recommended the Legislative Management conduct for their study specifically judicial issues relating to behavioral health, including 24-hour hold, termination of parental rights, and court committals in the state;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF NORTH DAKOTA, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN:**

That the Legislative Management study judicial issues related to behavioral health, including 24-hour hold, termination of parental rights, and court committals; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Legislative Management report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the Sixty-fifth Legislative Assembly.

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President of the Senate

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Speaker of the House

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Secretary of the Senate

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Chief Clerk of the House

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Secretary of State