

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1126

Page 1, line 1, after "to" insert "create and enact section 26.1-26.6-07.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to registered recovery agents; to"

Page 1, line 1, after "sections" insert "26.1-26.6-01,"

Page 1, line 2, after "agents" insert ", recovery agents,"

Page 1, after line 4, insert:

**"SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 26.1-26.6-01 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

**26.1-26.6-01. ~~Definition~~Definitions.**

As used in this chapter, unless the context otherwise requires, "bail;

1. "Bail bond agent" means any person ~~wh~~that has been licensed by the commissioner and appointed by an insurer by power of attorney to execute or countersign bail bonds for the insurer in connection with the judicial proceedings and charges and receives money for the services.
2. "Registered recovery agent" means any person that has been registered by the commissioner under this chapter and to whom the security has transferred arrest authority to take into custody a defendant on a bail bond."

Page 3, line 19, overstrike the first "or" and insert immediately thereafter an underscored comma

Page 3, line 19, after "agent" insert ", or registered recovery agent"

Page 3, line 26, after the first comma insert "the registered recovery agent."

Page 3, line 27, replace "or licensed" with an underscored comma

Page 3, line 28, after "surety" insert ", or registered recovery agent"

Page 4, line 2, replace "is" with ":

a. Is"

Page 4, line 2, remove "or"

Page 4, line 3, replace "is a person licensed as" with ":

b. Is"

Page 4, line 3, after "surety" insert: "or

c. Is a registered recovery agent"

Page 4, line 3, remove "This"

Page 4, remove line 4

Page 4, after line 5, insert:

"**SECTION 5.** Section 26.1-26.6-07.1 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

**26.1-26.6-07.1. Registered recovery agents.**

The commissioner shall register recovery agents. The licensing and continuing education requirements under chapter 26.1-26 do not apply to registered recovery agents. The commissioner shall adopt rules establishing a registration fee, qualifications for registration, and the process and terms for registration renewal and revocation."

Re-number accordingly