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Sixty-seventh Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

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ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2269

Introduced by

Senator Poolman

Representative Martinson

- 1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15.1-32 of the North Dakota
- 2 Century Code, relating to a postsecondary transitional grant program.

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

- 4 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 15.1-32 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:
- 6 <u>Postsecondary transitional grant program Students.</u>
- 7 The superintendent of public instruction shall provide integrated formula payments to
- 8 postsecondary transitional programs for eligible students enrolled in a postsecondary
- 9 transitional program within the state at the rate provided under section 15.1-27-04.1. For
- 10 purposes of this section, "eligible student" means a student with a documented intellectual or
- 11 <u>developmental disability who is at least eighteen years of age but has not reached the age of</u>
- 12 twenty-one twenty-two, who has graduated from a public high school in the state or obtained an
- equivalent degree, and who enrolls in a postsecondary transitional program. By June thirtieth of
- 14 each year, postsecondary transitional programs shall submit to the superintendent of public
- 15 instruction for the reimbursement of eligible students enrolled in the program. Grant payments
- 16 under this section may not exceed the per student rate under section 15.1-27-04.1. The
- 17 superintendent of public instruction shall review and approve postsecondary transitional
- 18 programs and develop a system for the distribution of payments necessary to implement this
- 19 section.