

**HB 1237 – Testimony by Dustin Gawrylow (Lobbyist #266) North Dakota Watchdog Network**

North Dakota is in the minority of states that tax Social Security benefits.

With all the programs, exemptions, and credits in other areas designed to help senior citizens save money, there is no reason for the state to tax social security benefits.

The North Dakota Watchdog Network supports a full and immediate elimination of state taxes on social security benefits.