

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1235**

Introduced by

Representatives Dockter, Bosch, Heinert, Stemen

Senators Cleary, K. Roers

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 44-01 of the North Dakota  
2 Century Code, relating to term beginning dates for elected state government officials.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 44-01 of the North Dakota Century Code is created  
5 and enacted as follows:

6 **Elected state officers - Date to qualify.**

7 The agriculture commissioner, attorney general, auditor, insurance commissioner, public  
8 service commissioners, secretary of state, superintendent of public instruction, tax  
9 commissioner, and treasurer shall qualify on the fifteenth day of December next succeeding  
10 their election and shall enter upon the discharge of the duties of their respective offices.