

Introduced by

Senators Braunberger, Barta, Cory

Representatives Foss, Schneider

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 47-32 of the North Dakota
2 Century Code, relating to expungement of eviction records.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 47-32 of the North Dakota Century Code is created
5 and enacted as follows:

6 **Expungement of records - Victim of domestic violence.**

- 7 1. A person subject to a court order for eviction under this chapter may move to have all
8 court records relating to the eviction proceedings expunged seven years after the
9 order for eviction has been satisfied.
- 10 2. An individual who was subjected to domestic violence as defined under section
11 14-07.1-01 at the time of the victim's tenancy and was evicted from that tenancy may
12 move to have all court records relating to the eviction proceedings expunged upon the
13 conviction of the assailant for domestic violence or the issuance of a disorderly
14 conduct restraining order, sexual assault restraining order, or domestic violence
15 protection order against the assailant.