

HOUSE BILL NO. 1293

Introduced by

Representatives Vetter, D. Johnston, Kiefert, Klemin, Lefor, Christianson, Longmuir

Senators Cory, Dever, Larson, Meyer, Sickler

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 37-18 of the North Dakota
2 Century Code, relating to the creation of a burial medallion program for veterans.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 37-18 of the North Dakota Century Code is created
5 and enacted as follows:

6 **Burial medallion program.**

- 7 1. As used in this section, "medallion" means a small, durable marker attached to an
8 existing headstone or grave marker to indicate a veteran's status.
9 2. The department of veterans' affairs shall establish and administer a program to
10 provide a medallion for a national guard or national guard reserve member, not buried
11 in the state veterans' cemetery, who does not qualify for another medallion from the
12 state or federal department of veterans affairs.