

**Sixty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 7, 2025**

SENATE BILL NO. 2293
(Senators Roers, Cleary, Meyer)
(Representatives Dockter, M. Ruby, Vetter)

AN ACT to amend and reenact subsections 7 and 18 of section 19-24.1-01, and subdivision c of subsection 2 of section 19-24.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to medical marijuana container sizes, caregivers, and documentation.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Subsections 7 and 18 of section 19-24.1-01 of the North Dakota Century Code are amended and reenacted as follows:

7. "Cannabinoid concentrate" means a concentrate or extract obtained by separating cannabinoids from marijuana by a mechanical, chemical, or other process. A container holding a cannabinoid concentrate for dispensing may not exceed one gram.
18. "Designated caregiver" means an individual who is at least twenty-one years of age and agrees to manage the well-being of a registered qualifying patient with respect to the qualifying patient's medical use of marijuana.

SECTION 2. AMENDMENT. Subdivision c of subsection 2 of section 19-24.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

- c. An original qualifying patient application for a registry identification card form established by the department which must include all of the following:
 - (1) The applicant's name, address, and date of birth.
 - (2) The name, address, and date of birth of the applicant's proposed designated caregiver, if any.
 - (3) A photographic copy of the applicant's North Dakota identification. The North Dakota identification must be available for inspection and verification upon request of the department. If the applicant is unable to obtain a current North Dakota identification due to the applicant's medical condition, the applicant may submit other department approved documentation. If the applicant is a minor, a certified copy of a birth record or a photographic copy of the minor's North Dakota identification is required.
 - (4) The applicant's or guardian's signature and the date, or in the case of a minor, the signature of the minor's parent or legal guardian with responsibility for health care decisions and the date.
 - (5) A disclosure that possession of a firearm by a person who possesses marijuana may be a violation of federal law.

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

Secretary of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

This certifies that the within bill originated in the Senate of the Sixty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as Senate Bill No. 2293.

Senate Vote: Yeas 41 Nays 3 Absent 3

House Vote: Yeas 62 Nays 22 Absent 10

Secretary of the Senate

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Approved at _____ M. on _____, 2025.

Governor

Filed in this office this _____ day of _____, 2025,

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Secretary of State