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Sixty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO

HOUSE BILL NO. 1048

Introduced by

Judiciary Committee

(At the request of the Supreme Court)

- 1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 14-09.1-07 of the North Dakota Century Code,
- 2 relating to mediation agreements.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:
- 4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 14-09.1-07 of the North Dakota Century Code is
- 5 amended and reenacted as follows:
- 6 14-09.1-07. Mediation agreementsummary.
- 7 The mediator shall reduce to writing may prepare a written summary of any agreement of
- 8 the parties. The mediator shall inform the parties of their right to review the agreement with
- 9 counsel before they sign the agreement. After the agreement is summary may not be shown to
- 10 the court unless signed by the parties, the mediator shall present the agreement to the court.
- 11 The agreement is not binding upon the parties until approved by order of the court. The
- 12 <u>mediator shall advise the court whether an agreement was reached.</u>