

JOINT RESOLUTION

HOUSE AND SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 1
(Brown, Sjaastad and Knudsen (LaMoure))

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION BUREAU INTERIM COMMITTEE

A joint resolution continuing an interim committee to study the workmen's compensation bureau.

WHEREAS, the interim committee appointed by the 34th Legislative Assembly to study the workmen's compensation bureau submitted a very worthwhile and constructive report, and submitted legislation to reorganize the bureau and to provide for a single director thereof;

WHEREAS, such legislation contained some very desirable provisions, but the majority of the 35th Legislative Assembly feels that all the changes proposed were not completely desirable at this time; and

WHEREAS, while the interim committee conducted its study, and thereafter, there has been a marked improvement in the bureau's activity, and a speed-up in their procedure; and

WHEREAS, it appears that there is need for further study and consideration of the operation, practices, and procedures of the workmen's compensation bureau;

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved By The House Of Representatives Of The State Of North Dakota, The Senate Jointly Concurring:

That the interim committee created to study the workmen's compensation bureau be continued during the 1957-1959 biennium, consisting of two members to be selected from the Senate by the Lieutenant Governor and two members to be selected from the House of Representatives by the Speaker, and the fifth member to be the Speaker himself, and the members chosen shall be the same persons who previously served on the interim committee insofar as possible; such continued committee shall supervise such study of the workmen's compensation bureau and its operation as it shall deem appropriate and necessary, and shall call on the attorney general's office for such further assistance as it deems necessary in the same manner as in its previous study; and make its report to the 36th Legislative Assembly in such manner and form as it deems appropriate.

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