Fifty-sixth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

HOUSE BILL NO. 1314

Introduced by

Representatives Lemieux, Kempenich

Senator B. Stenehjem

1 A BILL for an Act to provide for the protection of the intellectual property rights in the design of

2 vehicle number plates.

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

SECTION 1. Rights in number plate protected. The department of transportation
shall secure the intellectual property rights in the background design and depiction on motor
vehicle number plates. The department shall collect royalties through public bidding for the use
of the design or depiction and shall deposit the royalties collected with the state treasurer in the
general fund.