

HOUSE BILL NO. 1128

Introduced by

Representatives Drovdal, Kempenich, L. Thoreson

Senator Lyson

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15.1-06 of the North Dakota
2 Century Code, relating to the display of the Ten Commandments in public schools.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 15.1-06 of the North Dakota Century Code is
5 created and enacted as follows:

6 **Ten Commandments - Display.** An object or document containing the words of the
7 Ten Commandments may be displayed in a public school classroom or public school building,
8 or at any public school event, together with other documents of cultural, legal, or historical
9 significance which have influenced the legal and governmental systems of the United States
10 and this state. The display of an object or document containing the words of the Ten
11 Commandments must be in the same manner and appearance generally as other objects and
12 documents displayed and may not be presented or displayed in any fashion that results in
13 calling attention to the object or document apart from the other displayed objects and
14 documents.