

**FIRST ENGROSSMENT
with Senate Amendments****ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1456**

Introduced by

Representatives Kroeber, Winrich

Senator Every

- 1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 16.1-08.1 of the North Dakota
2 Century Code, relating to the filing of campaign contribution statements by political committees;
3 and to provide a penalty.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 16.1-08.1 of the North Dakota Century Code is
6 created and enacted as follows:

7 **Contributions statement required of political committees.**

- 8 1. A political committee that solicits or accepts contributions for any political purpose
9 shall file statements as required by this section.
- 10 2. A political committee shall file a detailed list showing the name and mailing
11 address of each contributor who contributed in excess of two hundred dollars in
12 the aggregate to the committee during a reporting period, the amount of each
13 reportable contribution in excess of two hundred dollars, and the date each
14 reportable contribution was received.
- 15 3. A political committee required to file a statement under this section shall file the
16 statement in the office of secretary of state no later than the twelfth day before the
17 date of any primary, special, or general election. The statement must be complete
18 from the beginning of that calendar year through the twentieth day before the date
19 of the primary, special, or general election. The political committee shall file a
20 complete statement for the entire calendar year no later than the thirty-first day of
21 January of the following year in which the political committee received a reportable
22 contribution.

- 1 4. Even if a political committee has not received any contribution in excess of two
- 2 hundred dollars during the reporting period, the political committee shall file a
- 3 statement as required by this chapter.