

Fifty-seventh  
Legislative Assembly  
of North Dakota

## ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2420

Introduced by

Senators Trenbeath, Bercier, Holmberg, Traynor

Representatives Monson, Tieman

1 A BILL for an Act to authorize the state historical society of North Dakota to reimburse Pembina  
2 County for certain land in Pembina County; to repeal chapter 15 of the 1893 Session Laws,  
3 relating to authorizing the state to acquire a parcel of land in Pembina County; and to provide  
4 an appropriation.

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

6 **SECTION 1. REIMBURSEMENT FOR LAND AUTHORIZED.** The state of North  
7 Dakota, in accordance with chapter 15 of the 1893 Session Laws, shall reimburse Pembina  
8 County for its cost, not to exceed the sum of \$15,000, in acquiring the property described in this  
9 section and known variously as the Selkirk cemetery, the Metis cemetery, or the Demaulin  
10 Mission cemetery, upon condition that Pembina County either keeps and preserves the  
11 property in accordance with North Dakota Century Code section 23-06-30 or in the alternative  
12 transfers the property to a suitable organization that represents, to the satisfaction of Pembina  
13 County, that it will preserve and maintain the property as a cemetery in perpetuity. The  
14 property is described as follows:

15 All that part of the northwest quarter (NW1/4) of section thirty-three (33), township one  
16 hundred sixty-four (164), range fifty-one (51), further described as follows: commencing  
17 at the northwest corner of said section thirty-three (33); thence S00°24'33"W along the  
18 west line of said quarter 994.07 feet; thence S89°35'30"E, 998.15 feet to the east  
19 right-of-way line of interstate highway no. I-29, the point of beginning; thence  
20 S59°52'00"E, 620.00 feet; thence S30°08'00"W, 703.00 feet; thence N59°52'00"W,  
21 620.00 feet to said east right-of-way line; thence N30°08'00"E along said east line,  
22 703.00 feet to the point of beginning, containing 10.01 acres and being graphically  
23 described on the plat of survey which is annexed hereto and incorporated herein by

1 reference; the basis of all bearings being the east right-of-way line of interstate highway  
2 no. I-29, at the location of this parcel, as an assigned bearing of N30°08'00"E.

3 **SECTION 2. REPEAL.** Chapter 15 of the 1893 Session Laws is repealed.

4 **SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION.** There is appropriated out of any moneys in the  
5 general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$15,000, or so much  
6 of the sum as may be necessary, to the state historical society of North Dakota for the purpose  
7 of reimbursing Pembina County pursuant to section 1 of this Act, for the biennium beginning  
8 July 1, 2001, and ending June 30, 2003.