

**Sixtieth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Wednesday, January 3, 2007**

HOUSE BILL NO. 1253
(Representative Kretschmar)

AN ACT to amend and reenact section 6-03-76 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to payments for financial institutions records search services.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Section 6-03-76 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

6-03-76. Records search reimbursement. Any ~~bank~~ financial institution authorized to do business in this state ~~shall~~ must be reimbursed as follows for all records searches done at the request of any state agency or any branch of the state government except the department of human services. Further, any federal agency or any branch of the federal government ~~shall~~ must also make such reimbursement if authorized to do so:

1. For search and processing time at the rate of ~~ten~~ thirty dollars per hour per person, computed on the basis of ~~two~~ seven dollars and fifty cents per quarter hour, limited to the total amount of personnel time spent in locating, retrieving, reproducing, packaging, and preparing for shipment documents or information requested.
2. For making copies of duplicates of required or requested documents at the rate of fifteen cents per page.
3. For making copies of photographs, films, and other materials at the actual cost incurred by the ~~bank~~ financial institution.

The ~~bank~~ financial institution ~~shall~~ must be reimbursed for all actual mailing or transportation expenses incurred in conveying the requested or required materials to the requesting agency. The reimbursement provisions of this section shall not apply to standard ~~bank~~ confirmations.

Speaker of the House

President of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

Secretary of the Senate

This certifies that the within bill originated in the House of Representatives of the Sixtieth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as House Bill No. 1253.

House Vote: Yeas 81 Nays 10 Absent 3

Senate Vote: Yeas 40 Nays 6 Absent 1

Chief Clerk of the House

Received by the Governor at _____ M. on _____, 2007.

Approved at _____ M. on _____, 2007.

Governor

Filed in this office this _____ day of _____, 2007,

at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State