

**SENATE BILL NO. 2216**

Introduced by

Senator Holmberg

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 32-19 of the North Dakota  
2 Century Code, relating to payment to redeem; and to amend and reenact section 32-19-22 of  
3 the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the service of notice before foreclosure.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 32-19 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
6 created and enacted as follows:

7 **Payment to redeem.** A person redeeming from a sheriff's sale may pay the required  
8 amount either to the holder of the certificate or to the sheriff. If there is a dispute as to the  
9 amount required to redeem, the person attempting to redeem shall deposit with the sheriff the  
10 amount the person calculates to be due and a written description of the basis for the  
11 calculation. The deposit has the effect of a redemption as of the date of deposit, subject to the  
12 subsequent payment of any additional amount determined to be due as of that date.

13 **SECTION 2. AMENDMENT.** Section 32-19-22 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
14 amended and reenacted as follows:

15 **32-19-22. Notice may be served by registered mail.** The notice before foreclosure  
16 may be served by ~~registered~~ mail, as provided in rule 4 of the North Dakota Rules of Civil  
17 Procedure, addressed to the owner of record at the owner's post-office address in the mortgage  
18 or by the records in the chain of title of the recorder of the county where the real estate is  
19 situated. If ~~such~~ the post-office address is not shown in the mortgage or in ~~such~~ the records,  
20 the notice may be served by ~~registered mail~~, as provided in rule 4 of the North Dakota Rules of  
21 Civil Procedure, addressed to the owner of record at the post office nearest any part or tract of  
22 the real estate.