

Sixty-first  
Legislative Assembly  
of North Dakota

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1537

Introduced by

Representatives Kretschmar, Brandenburg

Senator Erbele

- 1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 50-11 of the North Dakota  
2 Century Code, relating to substitute caregivers for adults in foster care.

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

- 4 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 50-11 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
5 created and enacted as follows:

- 6 **Substitute caregiver qualifications - Exception.** If the period during which a  
7 substitute caregiver for adult foster care is needed does not exceed forty-eight hours and the  
8 substitute caregiver is approved by the licensed adult foster care provider, the department may  
9 not require the substitute caregiver to be a licensed adult foster care provider.