

Sixtieth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

HOUSE BILL NO. 1193

Introduced by

Representatives Wrangham, Kerzman, Nottestad

Senators Cook, Klein, O'Connell

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 49-02-25 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to hydroelectricity as a renewable electricity and recycled energy source.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 49-02-25 of the North Dakota Century Code is
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **49-02-25. Renewable electricity and recycled energy defined.** As used in section
7 49-02-24, renewable electricity and recycled energy include electricity generated from facilities
8 using the following sources:

- 9 1. Solar, using the sun as the source of energy for producing electricity.
- 10 2. Wind, using the wind as the source of energy for producing electricity.
- 11 3. Hydroelectric, using water as the source of energy for producing electricity.
- 12 4. Biomass, using agricultural crops and agricultural wastes and residues, wood and
13 wood wastes and residues, animal wastes, and landfill gas as the fuel to produce
14 electricity.
- 15 ~~4.~~ 5. Geothermal, using energy contained in heat that continuously flows outward from
16 the earth as the source of energy to produce electricity.
- 17 ~~5.~~ 6. Hydrogen, provided that the hydrogen is generated from a source listed in this
18 section.
- 19 ~~6.~~ 7. Recycled energy systems producing electricity from currently unused waste heat
20 resulting from combustion or other processes into electricity and which do not use
21 an additional combustion process. The term does not include any system whose
22 primary purpose is the generation of electricity.