

Sixty-third  
Legislative Assembly  
of North Dakota

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1170

Introduced by

Representatives Kreidt, Heller, Rohr, Wieland

Senator Unruh

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 50-06 of the North Dakota  
2 Century Code, relating to nursing and basic care facility ratesetting.

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

4 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 50-06 of the North Dakota Century Code is created  
5 and enacted as follows:

6 **Expedited ratesetting process - Nursing and basic care facilities.**

7 The department shall establish an expedited ratesetting process by which nursing and basic  
8 care facilities may request an increase in the established rate due to additional costs incurred  
9 by the facility for providing health insurance policies to the facility's employees, to the extent  
10 those costs are directly related to the facility's compliance with the federal Patient Protection  
11 and Affordable Care Act of 2010 [Pub. L. 111-148], as amended by the Health Care and  
12 Education Reconciliation Act of 2010 [Pub. L. 111-152]. The process must provide that to be  
13 approved for a rate adjustment that is reflected in the facility's January 1, 2014, rates, the facility  
14 must submit the adjustment request to the department by October 1, 2013.