

Sixty-fourth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2199

Introduced by

Senators Dever, Armstrong, Nelson

Representatives Haak, Oversen, Sanford

1 A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation to the attorney general for a human trafficking
2 victims treatment and support services pilot project; and to provide for a report to the legislative
3 management.

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

5 **SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT REPORT.** There is
6 appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise
7 appropriated, the sum of \$1,000,000, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the
8 attorney general for the purpose of implementing a human trafficking victims treatment and
9 support services pilot project for the biennium beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30,
10 2017. As part of the pilot project, the attorney general shall, in consultation with representatives
11 of organizations involved in prevention and treatment services relating to human trafficking,
12 develop a victims treatment and support services model to address the needs of human
13 trafficking victims as defined in section 2 of 2015 Senate Bill No. 2107, including the
14 development and implementation of a statewide protocol for intervention and response methods
15 for professionals, individuals, and state agencies that may encounter human trafficking victims;
16 intervention and prevention methods; emergency or long term crisis centers; residential care;
17 direct care; training for law enforcement, educators, social services providers, foster care
18 providers, health care workers, advocates, court officials, prosecutors, and public defenders;
19 support of advocacy services; and programs promoting positive outcomes for victims. The
20 attorney general shall report to the legislative management during the 2015-16 interim on the
21 status and results of the pilot project.