

Sixty-fourth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2343

Introduced by

Senators Triplett, Mathern, Warner

Representative Onstad

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-17 of the North Dakota
2 Century Code, relating to a report on the fiscal impact of certain ~~orders~~actions by the industrial
3 commission to the legislative assembly or budget section; and to provide for retroactive
4 application.

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

6 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 54-17 of the North Dakota Century Code is created
7 and enacted as follows:

8 **Report to legislative assembly or budget section on the fiscal impact of certain**
9 **~~orders~~actions of the industrial commission.**

10 If any order, regulation, or policy of the industrial commission ~~makes an order that to~~
11 implement the provisions of chapter 38-08 has a fiscal effect or estimated fiscal effect on the
12 state in excess of ~~fivetwenty~~ million dollars in a biennium, the industrial commission shall report
13 to the legislative assembly when in session and otherwise to the budget section of the
14 legislative management on the fiscal impact of the effect of the ~~order~~action on state revenues
15 and expenditures, including any effect on the funds of the industrial commission.

16 **SECTION 2. RETROACTIVE APPLICATION.** This Act applies retroactively to ~~orders~~actions
17 of the industrial commission made after July 31, 2013, and applies specifically to the orders of
18 the industrial commission on flaring. The industrial commission shall report on the fiscal impacts
19 of past orders within ninety days of the effective date of this Act.