

HOUSE BILL NO. 1421

Introduced by

Representative Boschee

Senator Hogan

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 5-02-03 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to local beer and liquor license fees.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 5-02-03 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended
5 and reenacted as follows:

6 **5-02-03. Local license fees.**

7 1. The fee for an annual local on and off sale liquor license must be set by ordinance or
8 resolution at not less than two hundred dollars nor more than ~~two thousand dollars,~~
9 ~~except outside the corporate limits of a city the fee shall not exceed one~~ten thousand
10 dollars.

11 2. The fee for an annual on and off sale local beer license must be set by ordinance or
12 resolution at not less than fifty dollars nor more than ~~five hundred~~ten thousand dollars.

13 3. The fee for an annual local exclusive on sale liquor license must be set by ordinance
14 or resolution at not less than two hundred dollars nor more than ~~two thousand dollars,~~
15 ~~except outside the corporate limits of a city the fee must not exceed one~~ten thousand
16 dollars.

17 4. The fee for an annual local exclusive on sale local beer license must be set by
18 ordinance or resolution at not less than fifty dollars nor more than ~~five hundred~~ten
19 thousand dollars.

20 5. The fee for an annual local exclusive off sale beer or off sale liquor license must not be
21 more than the fee charged for an on and off sale license.

22 6. The local governing body may by ordinance or resolution provide for issuance of
23 licenses for any period not to exceed one year and may allow for proration and
24 refunds of license fees. ~~In addition to any other~~

- 1 7. Any license fee permitted by this section, a license fee may be increased by not more-
2 than five dollars for each Sunday the licensee sells alcoholic beverages adjusted for
3 inflation.
- 4 8. As used in this section, "adjusted for inflation" means adjusted on January first of each
5 year by the change in the consumer price index for all urban consumers (all items,
6 United States city average).