

In Re: House Bill 1262

Industry, Business and Labor

Erica Thunder, Commissioner, North Dakota Department of Labor and Human Rights

Neutral Testimony

01/18/2021

Chairman Lefor and members of the Industry, Business, and Labor Committee,

My name is Erica Thunder, and I serve as the Commissioner for the North Dakota Department of Labor and Human Rights. I am here today to listen into the discussion as HB 1262 impacts NDCC 34-01-20 and 34-11.1-04, relating to whistleblowers, by amending and reenacting sections of these laws. These sections of Century Code speak specifically to the work of the North Dakota Department of Labor and Human Rights.

I am here to testify neutrally, if so needed, and will be happy to answer any questions should the Committee ask. If I am unable to answer a question specifically for today's purposes, I will promptly work to provide an answer to the Committee.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Erica Thunder". The script is cursive and fluid.

Erica Thunder
Commissioner
North Dakota Department of Labor and Human Rights