

Sixty-eighth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2313

Introduced by

Senators Magrum, Larson

Representative Christensen

1 A BILL for an Act to provide for a legislative management study regarding fair and just
2 compensation and increased damages in eminent domain proceedings.

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

4 **SECTION 1. LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT STUDY - FAIR AND JUST COMPENSATION**
5 **IN EMINENT DOMAIN PROCEEDINGS.** During the 2023-24 interim, the legislative
6 management shall consider studying fair and just compensation in all eminent domain
7 proceedings. The study must include the methods and factors used to determine fair and just
8 compensation and whether certain landowners should be entitled to increased damages for
9 certain projects, and if so, the extent of the increased damages. The legislative management
10 shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation necessary to
11 implement the recommendations, to the sixty-ninth legislative assembly.