Sixty-eighth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

## **SENATE BILL NO. 2287**

Introduced by

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Senators K. Roers, Hogan

Representatives Nelson, Rohr, Strinden

- 1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact subdivision f of subsection 1 of section 43-12.3-06 of the
- 2 North Dakota Century Code, relating to the health care professional student loan repayment
- 3 program; and to provide an appropriation.

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

- 5 **SECTION 1.** Subdivision f of subsection 1 of section 43-12.3-06 the North Dakota Century 6 Code is created and enacted as follows:
  - f. For a registered nurse:
- 8 (1) The loan repayment may not exceed four thousand dollars per year, and
  9 may not exceed twenty thousand dollars over five years; and
- 10 (2) The matching funding must equal ten percent of the amount required in paragraph 1.
- 12 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES -
- 13 **REGISTERED NURSE STUDENT LOAN REPAYMENTS.** There is appropriated out of any
- moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of
- 15 \$528,480, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the department of health and human
- services for the purpose of providing student loan repayments for registered nurses, for the
- 17 biennium beginning July 1, 2023, and ending June 30, 2025.