

# WEIGHTS, MEASURES, AND GRADES

## CHAPTER 694

HOUSE BILL NO. 1049  
(Legislative Council)  
(Interim Budget "C" Committee)

### WEIGHTS AND MEASURES FEES

AN ACT to amend and reenact section 64-02-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to fees collected by the department of weights and measures under the public service commission.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Section 64-02-10 of the 1981 Supplement to the North Dakota Century Code is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

64-02-10. Fee schedule for inspection of weighing and measuring devices. The director or other employee of the department of weights and measures shall charge and collect fees in accordance with the following schedule:

1. For inspecting railroad track scales . . . . . ~~\$45.00~~ \$75.00
2. For inspecting livestock and vehicle scales eight thousand pounds [3628.74 kilograms] capacity and under . . . . . ~~20.00~~ 35.00
3. For inspecting livestock and vehicle scales over eight thousand pounds [3628.74 kilograms] capacity and over . . . . . ~~45.00~~ 75.00
4. For inspecting livestock scales under the jurisdiction of Packers and Stockers Act of the federal department of agriculture . . . . . ~~45.00~~ 75.00
5. For inspecting livestock scales under the jurisdiction of Packers and Stockers Act of the federal department of agriculture, where in the discretion of the director of weights and measures or

	his employee, the sales ring or buying station scale owner transports to the scale and furnishes all test weights and manpower needed to properly test the scale . . . . .	<del>30-00</del>	<u>45.00</u>
6.	For inspecting auxiliary beam on livestock, motor truck, motor truck dump scales . . . . .		15.00
7.	For inspecting road construction truck scales . . . . .	<del>45-00</del>	<u>75.00</u>
8.	For inspection of road construction hopper scales, six thousand and one pounds [2722.01 kilograms] capacity and over . . . . .		35.00
9.	For inspecting overhead track scales, hopper scales, dormant scales, and hanging scales six thousand pounds [2721.55 kilograms] capacity and over . . . . .	<del>14-00</del>	<u>35.00</u>
	For inspecting overhead track scales, dormant scales, hanging scales, and hopper scales five thousand nine hundred ninety-nine pounds [2721.10 kilograms] and less capacity, each . . . . .	<del>8-00</del>	<u>20.00</u>
10.	For inspecting movable platform scales . . . . .	<del>3-00</del>	<u>6.00</u>
11.	For inspecting all counter and computing scales . . . . .	<del>3-00</del>	<u>5.00</u>
12.	For inspecting every patent balance, beam steel yard, or other instrument used for weighing other than the above enumerated, each . . . . .	<del>3-00</del>	<u>5.00</u>
13.	For inspecting any two-bushel [70.48 liter] or one-bushel [35.24 liter] measure . . . . .	<del>3-00</del>	<u>5.00</u>
14.	For inspecting any other dry measure, each . . . . .	<del>3-00</del>	<u>5.00</u>
15.	For inspecting any board of cloth measure, each . . . . .	<del>3-00</del>	<u>5.00</u>
16.	For inspecting any liquid measure or computing pump . . . . .	<del>3-25</del>	<u>5.00</u>
17.	For each inspection of any liquid measure or computing pump in addition to the regularly scheduled annual inspection, including inspections made for new equipment which replaces a rejected measuring device . . . . .	<del>3-25</del>	<u>5.00</u>

18.	For inspecting liquid measures of five gallons [18.93 liters] or less capacity, each . . . . .	3-00	<u>5.00</u>
19.	For inspecting gasoline and fuel oil meters . . . . .	8-00	<u>12.00</u>
20.	For inspecting gasoline and fuel oil meters on common carrier pipelines, and any other meters used in loading railway cars, transports, or other conveyances . . . . .	25-00	<u>30.00</u>
21.	For inspecting propane and liquid fertilizer meters . . . . .	15-00	<u>20.00</u>
22.	For calibrating truck tanks of one thousand gallons [3785.41 liters] capacity and under . . . . .	20-00	<u>30.00</u>
	Truck tanks between one thousand and one gallons [3789.10 liters] and six thousand gallons [22712.47 liters] . . . . .	30-00	<u>40.00</u>
	Truck tanks above six thousand gallons [22712.47 liters] . . . . .	40-00	<u>50.00</u>
23.	For inspection of Crane scales six thousand pounds [2721.55 kilograms] and less capacity, each . . . . .	20-00	<u>30.00</u>
	For inspection of Crane scales six thousand and one pounds [2722.01 kilograms] capacity and over, each . . . . .	40-00	<u>50.00</u>

Where a rejected weighing and measuring device has been reconditioned or replaced by new equipment, the same must be reinspected and a certificate issued before being put into use, and except as otherwise provided above, the fee charged for such reinspection and certification shall be the same as for the first inspection and certification. When the director or other employee of the department of weights and measures shall find finds any of the instruments or articles used in weighing or measuring to be out of allowable tolerance set by the commission, ~~it~~ the director or other employee shall be his duty to inform the owner or operator that his weighing or measuring equipment is out of tolerance and to instruct him that a competent serviceman is to be called to service the device and bring said device to allowable tolerance.

Whenever a special inspection of any measuring device is required, in addition to the regularly scheduled annual inspection made by the department, a charge of ~~twenty-five~~ fifty cents per mile [1.61 kilometers] will be made unless the motor vehicle, including the testing equipment necessary to perform such special inspection,

~~shall weigh~~ weighs less than ten thousand pounds [4535.92 kilograms] gross. ~~in the event such~~ If the motor vehicle ~~shall weigh~~ weighs less than ten thousand pounds [4535.92 kilograms] gross, a charge of ~~fifteen~~ twenty-five cents per mile [1.61 kilometers] will be made, and all such mileage charges shall be in addition to the regular inspection fee to cover the costs of the additional travel by the director or employee occasioned by such special inspection. Where a special inspection has been requested and the person requesting such special inspection fails to appear at the arranged hour, or fails to have the weighing or measuring device in readiness for inspection or for repair or maintenance work at the arranged hour, there shall be a charge of thirty dollars an hour for the time interval between the arranged hour and the hour at which the inspection can be commenced.

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