

Fifty-sixth  
Legislative Assembly  
of North Dakota

**HOUSE BILL NO.**

Introduced by

Representative Glassheim

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 14-09-08 of the North Dakota Century Code,  
2 relating to judicial authority to create a child support contribution trust.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 14-09-08 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **14-09-08. Mutual duty to support children - Child support contribution trust.**

7 Parents shall give their children support and education suitable to the child's circumstances. In  
8 any action in which a court orders child support payments, the court may, upon the petition of  
9 the obligor parent, order the obligee to put into trust for the obligor's child's support and welfare  
10 a portion of the child support contribution. The court shall make a finding that creation of the  
11 trust is in the child's best interests and shall specify the terms of the trust.