

SENATE BILL NO. 2208

Introduced by

Senator G. Nelson

Representative Dorso

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 54-35-02.4 of the North Dakota
2 Century Code, relating to recommendations of the employee benefits programs committee.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Subsection 1 of section 54-35-02.4 of the 1997
5 Supplement to the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

6 1. The employee benefits programs committee shall consider and report on those
7 legislative measures and proposals over which it takes jurisdiction and which
8 affect, actuarially or otherwise, the retirement programs of state employees or
9 employees of any political subdivision, and health and retiree health plans of state
10 employees or employees of any political subdivision. The committee shall make a
11 thorough review of any measure or proposal which it takes under its jurisdiction,
12 including an actuarial review. The committee shall take jurisdiction over any
13 measure or proposal that authorizes an automatic increase or other change in
14 benefits beyond the ensuing biennium which would not require legislative approval,
15 and the committee must give the measure or proposal an unfavorable
16 recommendation and include in the report of the committee that the proposal would
17 allow future changes without legislative involvement. The committee shall report its
18 findings and recommendations, along with any necessary legislation, to the
19 legislative council and to the legislative assembly.