

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1212**

Introduced by

Representatives Lundgren, Porter, Warner, Severson

Senators Fischer, Kelsh

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 23-01-02 of the North Dakota Century Code,  
2 relating to adding a prehospital emergency medical service provider to the health council.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 23-01-02 of the 1997 Supplement to the North  
5 Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **23-01-02. Health council - Members, terms of office, vacancies, compensation,**  
7 **officers, meetings.** The health council consists of eleven members appointed by the governor  
8 in the following manner: Four persons from the health care field, at least one of which must be  
9 a prehospital emergency medical service provider; five persons representing consumer  
10 interests; ; one person from the energy industry; ; and one person from the manufacturing and  
11 processing industry. The governor may select members to the council from recommendations  
12 submitted by trade, professional, and consumer organizations. On the expiration of the term of  
13 any member, the governor, in the manner provided by this section, shall appoint for a term of  
14 three years, persons to take the place of members whose terms on the council are about to  
15 expire. The officers of the council must be elected annually. Any state agency may serve in an  
16 advisory capacity to the health council at the discretion of the council. The council shall meet at  
17 least twice each year and at other times as the council or ~~its~~ the chairman may direct. The  
18 health council shall have as standing committees any committees the council may find  
19 necessary. The chairman of the council shall select the members of these committees. The  
20 members of the council are entitled to receive sixty-two dollars and fifty cents as compensation  
21 per day and ~~the~~ necessary mileage and travel expenses as provided in sections 44-08-04 and  
22 54-06-09 while attending council meetings or in the performance of any special duties as the  
23 council may direct. The per diem and expenses must be audited and paid in the manner in  
24 which the expenses of state officers are audited and paid. The compensation provided for in

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- 1 this section may not be paid to any member of the council who received salary or other
- 2 compensation as a regular employee of the state, or any of ~~its~~ the state's political subdivisions,
- 3 or any institution or industry operated by the state.