

Fifty-sixth Legislative Assembly, State of North Dakota, begun in the Capitol in the City of Bismarck, on Tuesday, the fifth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-nine

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4041
(Senators Wanzek, Tomac)
(Representatives Belter, Meyer, Nicholas)

A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study potential tax incentives and regulatory relief that would encourage greater investment participation by North Dakota residents in agricultural business ownership.

WHEREAS, it is the intent of the Legislative Assembly that North Dakota becomes the trusted provider of the highest-quality food in the world with prosperous family farms, thriving rural communities, and world-class stewardship of resources and to significantly increase net farm income, improve the quality of rural life, and increase North Dakota's rural population; and

WHEREAS, the Legislative Assembly seeks to achieve these goals by making North Dakota agricultural products synonymous with high quality to dominate the premium markets, increasing value-added agricultural processing, diversifying and increasing the value of agricultural production, increasing farm and nonfarm cooperation that supports thriving rural communities and enhances our natural resources, and creating a political, regulatory, economic, trade, financial, and natural resource environment in which North Dakota producers can compete in the global marketplace;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF NORTH DAKOTA, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN:

That the Legislative Council study potential tax incentives and regulatory relief that would encourage greater investment participation by North Dakota residents in agricultural business ownership; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Legislative Council report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the Fifty-seventh Legislative Assembly.

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

Secretary of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

Filed in this office this _____ day of _____, 1999,
at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State