

February 9, 2001

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1409

Page 1, line 1, after "enact" insert "a new section to chapter 23-27 and"

Page 1, line 2, after "to" insert "the dispatching of ambulances and" and after "systems" insert ";  
and to provide an effective date"

Page 1, after line 3, insert:

**"SECTION 1.** If House Bill No. 1202 of the fifty-seventh legislative assembly does not become effective, a new section to chapter 23-27 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

**Ambulance service dispatch in emergencies.** If an ambulance service licensed under this chapter receives a request for emergency medical services, the closest ambulance service must be dispatched to the site at which the emergency medical services are needed, regardless of city, county, or district boundaries.

**SECTION 2.** If House Bill No. 1202 of the fifty-seventh legislative assembly becomes effective, a new section to chapter 23-27 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

**Ambulance service dispatch in emergencies.** If an emergency medical service operation licensed under this chapter receives a request for emergency medical services, the closest emergency medical service operation must be dispatched to the site at which the emergency medical services are needed, regardless of city, county, or district boundaries."

Page 1, line 13, replace "and rural-addressing" with "addressing"

Page 1, line 15, replace "All" with "A plan in use before this date does not have to conform with the modified burkle addressing plan. If implemented, all"

Page 1, line 16, replace "may" with "must"

Page 1, line 21, remove "printed"

Page 1, line 23, replace "Ensure" with "Encourage"

Page 2, after line 10, insert:

"k. Beginning February 1, 2002, ensure that the closest available emergency medical service is dispatched to the scene of emergencies regardless of city, county, or district boundaries. The state department of health shall provide emergency 911 telephone systems with necessary geographical information to assist in the implementation of this subdivision."

Page 2, line 30, remove "continually"

Page 3, line 6, after "Ensures" insert "an adequate" and remove "of no less than a grade that provides one busy"

Page 3, remove lines 7 through 10

Page 3, line 11, replace "be" with "that is"

Page 3, line 24, remove "forty hours of"

Page 3, line 28, replace "at least a sixteen-hour" with "an"

Page 4, after line 4, insert:

**"SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE.** Sections 1 and 2 of this Act become effective on February 1, 2002."

Renumber accordingly